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SAN PEDRO HARBOR ESTIMATES MADE.

Gen. Gillespie Reports on Work Accomplished—Needs of Wilmington and San Diego Harbors.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Gen. Gillespie, Chief of Engineers of the War Department, today issued his annual report and estimates upon river and harbor work for the entire United States. Concerning Southern California work the report says:

"San Pedro Bay—The River and Harbor Act of June 3, 1896, provided for the appointment of a board to determine upon the location of a deep-water harbor for commerce and refuge in Santa Monica or San Pedro, in the same State. The decision of a majority of the board as to location was to be final. The board was to make plans, specifications and estimates for said improvements. After the board had rendered a decision and submitted reports, the Secretary of War was empowered to make contracts for the completion of the selected harbor in accordance with the project of the board, at a cost not exceeding in the aggregate $2,900,000.

"In accordance with the provisions of this act, a board was appointed which submitted its report March 1, 1897, deciding in favor of San Pedro Bay. The report of the board is printed as Senate Document, No. 18, Fifty-fifth Congress, first session.

"August 12, 1896, a contract was entered into with Heldmaier & Neu, Chicago, for construction of the entire breakwater, the price bid by them being $1,302,198. The contractors were to commence work on or before November 12, 1898, and they were to prosecute it so as to earn each year the money appropriated by Congress. This contract was annulled March 19, 1900, the contractors having failed to attain the rate of progress required by the specifications.

"Up to the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1900, $51,537 had been expended, and the construction of the breakwater was continued during the year by the deposit of about seventy-nine thousand and twenty tons of stone, making the total amount deposited at that date, 84,581 tons. June 7, 1900, the contract for continuing and completing the construction of the breakwater was entered into with the California Construction Company of San Francisco, and the same was approved by the Chief of Engineers June 27, 1900; the time of the commencement of the work to be August 4, 1900; the rate of progress to be as required by the specifications.

"Under this contract, 190,360 tons of stone have been delivered and placed in the substructure on the west arm of the breakwater, and the breakwater has been more or less built up for a distance of 2700 feet from the westerly extremity."

The report says that the commerce of San Pedro Harbor, heretofore simply an anchorage ground in an open roadstead, is so intimately connected with that of Wilmington Harbor that reference is made to the latter for statistics on the same. The effect on commerce of this work will be to afford a place of refuge easy of access and secure from storms for coastwise and deep-draft vessels, and a protected harbor, about one square mile in area, for the latter class of vessels. Vessels while waiting for favorable tide in order to enter the inner harbor of San Pedro are now anchoring in the lee of the 2700 feet of the more-or-less built-up portion of the breakwater.

"July 1, 1900, balance unexpended, $562,607.23.

"Amount appropriated by the Sundry Civil Act, approved March 3, 1901, $146,000.

"Total, $708,607.23.

"June 30, 1901, amount expended during the fiscal year, $133,753.89.

"July 1, 1901, balance unexpended, $574,853.34.

"July 1, 1901, outstanding liabilities, $24,691.20.

"July 1, 1901, balance available, $550,-162.14.

"July 1, 1901, amount covered by uncompleted contract, $2,454,655.87.

"Amount (estimated) required for completion of existing project, $1,-904,493.43.

"Amount that can be profitably expended in fiscal year ending June 30, 1903, in addition to the balance available July, 1901, $400,000.

"Submitted in compliance with the requirements of the Sundry Civil Act of June 4, 1897.

"Wilmington Harbor—Previous to the commencement of improvement in 1871, there was a depth of less than two feet of water at low tide at the entrance. The original project, approved July 1, 1871, contemplated gaining a depth of ten feet at mean low tide.

"In 1881, a further project to increase the depth of the channel from ten to fifteen feet mean low tide by dredging the reef and between the jetties, raising the existing works and extending the jetties to eighteen feet of water in San Pedro Bay was submitted. In 1894 a project was submitted by the local officer in charge for a channel eighteen feet deep at mean low tide, which would permit draughts of twenty-two to twenty-four feet at high tide, at an estimated cost of $392,725, and in obedience to a resolution of the United States Senate, the Chief of Engineers submitted a report February 7, 1895. The River and Harbor Act of June, 1896, appropriated $50,000 for improving the harbor in accordance with this plan, but provided for an improvement board to decide whether a harbor of refuge be established at Santa Monica or San Pedro, the outer harbor of Wilmington, with the condition that if San Pedro were chosen the existing appropriations for Wilmington Harbor should not be expended.

"The board having selected San Pedro, the expenditure of the existing appropriation was prohibited, and without further action of Congress, the presenting of an estimate for the additional sum required for the completion of the improvement of this harbor is not permissible.

"The Rivers and Harbors Act of March 3, 1899, provided for the examination and survey of this harbor under the name of the inner harbor at San Pedro. With a view to its further improvement, a map of this survey, together with a project for the improvement of the harbor was submitted to Congress and printed in House Document No. 357, Fifty-sixth Congress, first session, and also in the report of the Chief of Engineers for 1900, pages 4194 to 4211.

"At the close of the fiscal year, the least channel depth at the entrance was 15.5 feet. The commerce of this harbor was 253,855 tons for the year 1900, an increase of 6 per cent. over the previous year. No new steamship lines have been established during the year. The local engineer reports the deterioration of the east jetty, the restoration of which he estimates will cost $15,000.

"San Diego Harbor—Before the adoption of the present project, the work entered on had for its object the preservation of the harbor, which was being injured by the deposit of material brought down the San Diego River during flood stages, and for this purpose a dike was built across the mouth of the river and a new channel excavated, causing the river to empty into False Bay. This work was completed in 1876 at a cost of $79,798.

"The present project for the improvement of the harbor, approved December 8 and 30, 1890, has for its object the construction of a jetty on Zuniga Shoal, at the entrance of the harbor, to maintain a channel twenty-four feet deep at mean low tide, and 500 feet wide through the middle ground, and repairs to the dike. The jetty was to be about seventy-five hundred feet long, extending from Coronado Island out on Zuninga Shoal, with a view of gaining twenty-six feet at mean low time on the outer bar, where the survey of 1887 showed a depth of twenty-one feet. The original estimated cost of this improvement was $394,400, but as the work on the inner half of the jetty progressed under different contracts, it became evident that this sum would be inadequate. Therefore, under date of June 20, 1900, the local officer was authorized to change this estimated cost to $542,850. The amount expended up to the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1900, was $298,-733.61, and the jetty has been carried a distance of 3347 feet seaward up to high water, and a foundation course of brush and stone 1678 feet farther.

"Under the contract for extending the jetty, 22,408 tons of riprap stone were delivered and put in place during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1901. On that date the jetty had been completed for a distance of 4595 feet, and the foundation course was extended 450 feet farther. No material results in the way of increased depth or width of channel over the outer bar are apparent from the expenditures made during the past fiscal year, the least depth still being twenty-two and one-half feet.

"The commerce of the harbor was 152,-777 tons for the year 1900, being an increase of about 13 per cent. over that of the previous year. The effect on commerce of this work of improvement will be to admit the entrance of the deeper-draft vessels, and make their passage safer by straightening out the channel. A deterioration of the channel depth occurred in the cut through the middle ground, and the local officer estimates the cost of restoration at $6000.

"July 1, 1900, balance expended, $58,-766.39.

"June 30, 1901, amount expended during the fiscal year, $57,048.07.

"July 1, 1901, balance unexpended, $1718.32.

"Amount (estimated) required for completion of the existing project, $267,-850.

"Amount that can be profitably ex-

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THE SCHLEY INQUIRY.

GENEROUS OF GLORY.

Hero of Santiago Changes Report.

Sampson Demanded a Mention in It.

"Victory Enough for All," the Junior Officer Says.

End of a Three-days Ordeal of Cross-questioning—Clear-cut Answers.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—The long ordeal to which Rear-Admiral Schley has been subjected since Monday morning ended this afternoon, when his cross-examination was concluded, and he was allowed to leave the witness stand.

When the Judge-Advocate finished the cross-examination, shortly after 3 o'clock, the court propounded to Rear-Admiral Schley thirty-four questions prepared by the members of the court. These questions touched many points of the campaign of the "Flying Squadron," but mainly centered about the difficulties encountered in coaling, and the reasons for the "retrograde movement." Not one of them related to the battle of Santiago. The Judge-Advocate's cross-examination today covered the "retrograde movement," the reconnoissance of May 31; the "loop" of the Brooklyn, and the alleged colloquy with Lieut. Hodgson about the Texas.

One of the most interesting features of the day was the development of the fact that the report of the battle written by Rear-Admiral Schley July 6, 1898, was not the original report. The original report never has been published, and, in accordance with a previous decision, the court declined to permit it to be introduced into the record. Rear-Admiral Schley was allowed to explain, however, that Admiral Sampson declined to receive the first report, because it did not mention the presence of the New York.

"I felt that the victory at that time," said Rear-Admiral Schley, in explaining the matter, "was big enough for all, and I made this change out of generosity, and because I knew that if the New York had been present she would have done as good work as anybody else."

Capt. Thomas Borden of the Marine Corps, who was aboard the Brooklyn, will be the last witness called for Rear-Admiral Schley. After he testifies, tomorrow morning, the Judge-Advocate will put on the stand the witnesses for rebuttal, of whom there are understood to be about fifteen, and it is presumed that Rear-Admiral Schley's counsel will call several witnesses in sur-rebuttal.

THE ORIGINAL REPORT.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—It is learned tonight that the original and unpublished report of Rear-Admiral Schley of the battle off Santiago to Admiral Sampson, referred to in the proceedings before the court of inquiry today, was of a preliminary character, and differed from that subsequently made in that it omitted mention altogether of the cruiser New York, and that it also requested that the latter (Rear-Admiral Sampson,) have the commanding officers or captains of the vessels engaged transmit to him (Schley) their detailed accounts of the action, in order that he might write a full and complete official report of the battle.

The suppressed preliminary report made by Rear-Admiral Schley is dated "Off Santiago, July 3," and is addressed to Admiral Sampson, commander-in-chief of the North Atlantic station.

The report, in substance, describes the coming-out of the Spanish fleet from the harbor of Santiago, and calls attention to the fact that signals were made to the vessels of the American fleet, which were obeyed by all the ships. It then proceeds to describe the fight, and gives briefly the part played in it by each one of the ships, showing that the Brooklyn, the Oregon, the Texas and the Iowa remained in action until the Viscaya went ashore, and that the Colon surrendered to the Brooklyn and the Oregon.

The rear-admiral commends the bravery of all the American officers and crews engaged in the fight, and commends the commanding officers for gallant and meritorious conduct, and for the superb handling of their ships. Then follows some routine matter giving the Spanish losses, the injuries to the American fleet, and the casualties.

SCHLEY'S FIFTH DAY.

OPERATION OF THE SHIPS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—The first question Capt. Lemly asked of Rear-Admiral Schley today was whether the Iowa was with the "Flying Squadron" at Hampton Roads when he gave the captains of the ships the verbal order as to attacking the enemy's fleet. Rear-Admiral Schley replied that she was not. In response to questions, he said that he first fell in with the Iowa off Cienfuegos. Capt. Evans was then ill, and Commander Rodgers was in command. He did not recollect whether he had communicated the verbal orders to the latter. He first saw Capt. Evans May 29.

He was then asked as to his conversation with Capt. Folger, when the latter suggested a circular blockade such as existed at Wei-Hai-Wei. The witness said he thought the fleet at Wei-Hai-Wei was larger than his. He was asked whether he did not consider a circular blockade with the vessels pointing in as mobile as the other form, in that ships could move either way by turning with the helm.

Rear-Admiral Schley replied that he thought a circular blockade where all the vessels charged to the center would produce confusion and inevitably lead to a different arrangement according as the enemy moved east or west.

"The outcome," said he, "could only be more or less confusion, such as did actually occur later."

Schley's attention was called to Capt. Folger's statement that the latter had advised him to go in closer at Santiango, and his own statement-in-chief that, the next day, Capt. Folger had signaled them that they were within range of the batteries. The rear-admiral, in reply, changed the date of the signal to a day later. He read Folger's signal: "I think the forts may open at this range." He said when Folger made this signal the squadron was in practically the same position as the day Folger testified he had asked Rear-Admiral Schley to go in closer.

Witness's attention was then called to his statement that neither at Cienfuegos nor Santiago had any vessel entered or departed, and he was asked how he knew this. He replied that he only knew it because he never heard of any ship getting in. On the North Cuba blockade, when a Frenchman succeeded in getting through the blockading line into Havana, the fact had been widely advertised as a great accomplishment. His conclusion, therefore, was that none had entered.

Coming to the reconnoissance of May 31, when the Spanish ship Colon was bombarded as it lay in the harbor at Santiago, Capt. Lemly asked Rear-Admiral Schley when he first received notice that the commander-in-chief would be at Santiago. The witness replied that the notice had come in the dispatch brought to him by Capt. Cotton, which was delivered May 29. This telegram was, he said, not received until May 31. Possibly, too, the New Orleans might have brought information of the coming of Rear-Admiral Sampson.

"Why did you wait two days after the discovery of the presence of the fleet in the harbor before undertaking your reconnoissance?"

"For the reason I had used those two days for coaling the vessels of the fleet, so as to be prepared in case the enemy should come out."

Relating the occurrences of the bombardment, he said he recalled that Capt. Higginson had asked after he (Schley) went aboard the Massachusetts that the bombardment be postponed until after dinner; that he warned some people to get off the turrets, and that Lieutenant-Commander Potts had given notice that they were on the range. He did not recall, he said, the signal not to go in closer, but it was possible that such a signal had been sent, and it had not been recorded. It might be that it was with this as with other signals which had not been recorded, because the writing of them was always done the next day.

PENCIL AND PAPER.

"No man," he said, "except press correspondents, who brave all dangers, can always have paper and pencil at hand, while a battle is in progress, and as a consequence, there is a failure to record many occurrences that should be recorded."

Here followed an examination of the various signals from the Massachusetts on the day of the bombardment, which the rear-admiral verified. At the same time, he remarked that he thought there were other signals unrecorded.

Rear-Admiral Schley said he had ordered the range at 7000 yards for that day, but he had not supposed the Colon was so far up the harbor.

"Of course," he said, "I left the measurement of the range to the executive officer."

"Does your letter to the Senate, dated February 18, 1899, plead the precautionary order of the department for not destroying the Colon?"

"I should rather think that is the inference."

The rear-admiral then, at the request of the Judge-Advocate, read what he wrote to the Senate. The letter contained the precautionary order of the department at the opening of the war. He again explained, as he had done before, that when he wrote his communication to the Senate he did not have all the records before him. He omitted to mention in that communication, he said, Rear-Admiral Sampson's caution at Key West. He had prepared it largely from memory. In further support of his position, Schely read the department's instruction of May 13, specifically warning the commander-in-chief against risking his vessels to the fire of the land batteries. He was cross-examined closely as to all the orders bearing upon this subject. He said he had never seen, until he saw them in the report, the orders of April 16 and April 28, modifying to some extent the original order. But he had been advised of their purport.

"In your report of June 1 to the department concerning the reconnoissance, you did not mention any purpose to sink or destroy the Colon."

"I did not."

"But in your telegraphic report you did say that your purpose was to destroy the Colon?"

"Incidentally, yes."

The Judge-Advocate then asked Rear-Admiral Schley to tell what his purpose was that day, and what instructions he had given. Replying that he had testified fully on this subject before, he said the signals made indicated the purpose. The signals instructed the ships to use their big guns against the Colon. The New Orleans, with her lighter battery, was directed to fire at the shore batteries. The instruction was to go in to 7000 yards, and he thought for several days afterward that the ships had gone in to that distance. He said:

"I directed the ships to follow the flag, to operate against the Colon, and

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IRRIGATION OF THE WEST.

President May Treat of It In His Forthcoming Message.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Elwood Mead, irrigation expert of the Department of Agriculture, had a talk with the President today, and they discussed the irrigation of the great arid lands of the West. Mr. Mead has several plans for irrigation, and will submit some of these to the President. It is understood that the President, who lived many years in the West and is well acquainted with the arid condition of that section, will say a good deal in his message on the subject of irrigation.

The western members of Congress are extremely hopeful that Congress, the coming session, will extend national aid to some rational plan for irrigation. President McKinley's visit West last May did much to increase the friendly feeling he had for the West, and in a number of his speeches he referred to the need of irrigation in the West.

It was generally thought by the western Congressmen that President McKinley would have given considerable space in his next message to Congress to the discussion of the need of Federal aid in the reclamation of the millions of acres of lands that cannot be cultivated because water cannot be obtained.

GOOD NEWS FROM SOFIA.

Miss Stone's Release Expected Soon.

Rev. Clarke's Daughter Confident of It.

Says Friends May Look for the Missionary's Return Thanksgiving Day.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Elizabeth C. Clarke, daughter of Rev. James F. Clarke, senior member of Samakov Mission, cabling under date of Sofia, October 30, says:

"We are preparing a reception for Miss Stone upon her release. My father is coming from America, and will be here in a few days to welcome her. Miss Stone was my Sunday-school teacher, and should the present negotiations with the brigands not be finished rapidly, the delay would be criminal. Russian Minister M. Bakhmeteff expects a letter from Miss Stone and the brigands tomorrow, through an envoy sent last Friday. We shall have Miss Stone in Philippopolis, November 5, at the dedication of the new American church there. This is our plain answer to those who would explode the missionaries.

"After that, Miss Stone will doubtless go to the United States, where her relatives and the American people want to see her. Besides, it is better to have her out of this country, if the brigands be prosecuted. Altogether, we number twenty-eight missionaries in Bulgaria and Macedonia. This case may make future traveling hard for missionaries whose wives and children will suffer mental torture while the missionaries traverse the brigand-ridden region.

"If Turkey be made responsible for Miss Stone's ransom, she will insist on sending guards with traveling missionaries. They rarely go with guards. Personally, I would rather see Turkey responsible, the Turks are so fanatical and rarely become converts. The Macedonian Committee is desperately in need of funds; the Bulgarian government is on the verge of bankruptcy, and the responsibility for this is alarming.

"Friends at home may look for Miss Stone by Thanksgiving Day."

SATISFACTORY PROGRESS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 30.—The negotiations for the ransom of Miss Ellen M. Stone, the abducted American missionary, are progressing satisfactorily, it is understood, but beyond this those having the matter in hand maintain absolute secrecy, as they are convinced that publicity would be detrimental to Miss Stone's interests and safety.

LOCOMOTIVE AND AUTOMOBILE.

SIX MEN HURT IN THE COLLISION.

Accident Occurred at a Railroad Crossing—Fournier, the French Chauffeur, Was Managing Automobile—Railroad Automatic Bell Failed to Ring.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—As Henri Fournier, the French chauffeur, was crossing the tracks in an automobile in which five other men were seated, the machine came into collision with a locomotive, and disastrous results followed. All six men were hurt, and the machine smashed. The names of those in the party and the extent of their injuries were:

N. B. FULLERTON, special agent of the passenger department of the Long Island Railroad, badly cut about the head and face and compound fracture of one leg.

A. G. BATCHELDER of the New York Journal, chairman of the National Cyclists Association board of control; broken leg and other injuries.

J. H. GERRIE, New York Herald, broken shoulder and leg.

ARTHUR LEWIS of this city, cuts on face and hand and ankle sprained.

HENRY J. EVERALL of this city, bruised and cut, and leg sprained.

The party was on its way to New York when the accident occurred, having been out all day in company with William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., in his machine looking for a good road on which it was Fournier's intention to try for the mail record tomorrow.

There is no flagman at the crossing, which is hidden by buildings, but an automatic bell is supposed to ring on the approach of a train. The members of the party say it did not ring. The railroad people assert otherwise. Fournier, who was handling the lever, and Everall were thrown about fifty feet. Fullerton and Batchelder were hurled 150 feet, while Lewis and Gerrie were mixed up with the wreckage of the machine.

ASK SATISFACTION.

France After the Ottoman Government—Mediterranean Fleet Sails for Mitylene or Salonika.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PARIS, Oct. 31.—[By Atlantic Cable.] "The entire French Mediterranean squadron left yesterday afternoon," says the Toulon correspondent of the Figaro. "While one division put in at Salins D'Pieres, another composed of three battleships and two cruisers under the command of Admiral Caillaird, proceeded to the Levant. Two thousand troops will be added to this force. Admiral Caillaird's orders are that, if complete satisfaction is not immediately given by the Ottoman government to all the claims of France, he shall seize the customhouse of the port nearest his squadron. It is believed his destination is the Island of Mitylene or Salonika. This island commands the entrance to The Dardanelles and the Gulf of Smyrna."

Several morning papers confirm the Figaro's Toulon dispatch. Rumors to the same effect were current in Paris late last evening, but the Foreign office professed to know nothing about the matter.

KILLED THEIR CHILD.

Husband and Wife Fight With Pistols at Virginia City, Mont., With Terrible Results.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BUTTE (Mont.) Oct. 30.—Little Ethel Plumb, aged 3 years, is lying dead at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. H. Parke, at Virginia City, this State, as the result of a duel fought with revolvers by Mr. and Mrs. Plumb. Mrs. Plumb has a bullet wound in the hip, Mrs. Parke was shot through the right shoulder and Plumb is in jail with a powder-burned face. Plumb and his wife have lived unhappily together for a long time, and of late Mrs. Plumb has been living at the home of her mother, Mrs. Parke.

Last night, Plumb went to the house and opened fire upon his wife, who secured a revolver and also began shooting. At the first shot fired by the husband, the child fell dead with a ball through its head. The woman will recover.

THE PHILIPPINES.

"TO YOU AND TO THOSE WHO FOUGHT AND FELL."

COL. ROBE'S OFFICIAL REPORT OF BALANGIGA.

Praises the Magnificent Heroism of Dead American Soldiers—Samar Island to Be Clear by Christmas—Leaders' Whereabouts Known.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MANILA, Oct. 30.—[By Manila Cable.] Col. Robe of the Ninth Infantry, in his official report of the Balangiga engagement in regimental orders, praises the magnificent heroism of dead American soldiers.

To the survivors he says: "Your splendid courage, defensive and aggressive warfare at Balaniga has gone into history as a rare achievement of your regiment. I am proud of you. To you and to those who fought and fell the army is indebted for a superb demonstration of what the bravery of a few daring men may accomplish under most unequal and unfavorable circumstances."

TAFT IN HOSPITAL.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MANILA, Oct. 30.—Gov. Taft has been sick in the hospital for ten days past. He has undergone a successful operation and is now recovering.

WHEREABOUTS OF LEADER.

CLEAR SAMAR BY CHRISTMAS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MANILA, Oct. 30.—[By Manila Cable.] Advices received here from Catbalagon, capital of the island of Samar, say Gen. Smith has reliable information regarding the whereabouts of the insurgent leader Lukban, who is being hard pressed. Small skirmishes took place daily. Catbalagon was under fire yesterday. Gen. Smith expects to clear the island of insurgents by Christmas.

BULLER'S DISPATCH.

Much-talked-of Message is Given by the National Review—The Leader Says Version is Misleading.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Oct. 31.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The National Review gives the essential terms of the "Spatchcocked" dispatch from Sir Redvers Buller to Gen. Sir White, when in command of the beleaguered British garrison at Ladysmith. According to this authority, the message read as follows: "I have been repulsed. You will burn your ciphers and destroy all your ammunition. You will than make the best terms you can with the Boers after I have fortified myself on the Tugela."

Gen. Buller, in the speech which led to the dismissal from the command of the First Army Corps, challenged the National Review to publish the full dispatch, and to explain how it was obtained, declaring that he would then publish a certified copy of the original and allow the public to judge the matter.

The editor of the National Review now explains that he got the dispatch from a civilian who was in Ladysmith at the time and who said there was nothing secret about it. He asserts also that he understands that both Gen. Buller and Gen. White have officially asked permission to publish the authorized version, and that he cannot conceive why permission has been withheld.

The same informant, giving an alleged explanation of the fact that there was no co-operation between Gen. Buller and Gen. White during the battle of Colenso, says that Gen. White was informed that the attack was fixed for December 17, but Gen. Buller commenced the attack on December 15, to the dismay of Gen. White, who had not completed his preparations.

The Morning Leader characterizes the National Review's version of Gen. Buller's dispatch to Sir George White as "imaginary and misleading."

MEXICAN BREAD RIOT.

Twenty Persons Wounded at Puruandiro as the Outgrowth of a Corner in Corn Engineered by Speculators.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN ANTONIO (Tex.) Oct. 30.—News was received here today that, at Puruandiro, Mex., October 28, a bread riot occurred, in which twenty persons were wounded, many of them fatally. The cause of the riot is said to have been the action of speculators in cornering the supply of corn.

A corn famine has existed in that section of Mexico for months, and the government recently removed the import duty on corn from the United States as a measure of relief. It is said that speculators cornered the shipments to Puruandiro and raised the price 100 per cent. The starving people, driven to desperation, attacked the warehouse, women and children leading the assault. They were shot down by the guards. Those who escaped the bullets fled, appalled at what had happened.

The conditions in that section of the republic south of the City of Mexico are described as terrible. The government has sent troops to the scene.

AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] O. P. Posey is at the Manhattan; C. B. Jeffries and wife at the Continental; E. B. Pierce at the Continental. Miss M. Grant and U. S. Grant, Jr., and wife of San Diego, are at the Fifth Avenue.

BEST of everything to be had only at the Del Monte.

WASHINGTON.

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pended in the fiscal year ending June 30, 1903, in addition to the balance unexpended July 1, 1901, $200,000.

"Submitted in compliance with the requirements of the Sundry Civil Act of June 4, 1897."

GUNS AND HARBORS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—Twenty-five of the principal harbors of the United States now have a sufficient number of heavy guns and mortars mounted to permit of effective defense against naval attack, says Gen. Gillespie, chief of Engineers, in his annual report. He briefly describes the original project framed by the Endicott board for the coast defense, and shows how it has been amended from year to year. The improvements were the change of rapid-fire guns and the elimination of armored defenses.

A provision has been made for emplacing 325 heavy guns, 327 rapid-fire guns and 376 mortars. Now Gen. Gillespie wants six more new mortar batteries and four gun-and-mortar batteries, and asks an appropriation of $4,000,000. The Fortification Board having declared the pneumatic gun batteries obsolete, the department has discontinued work on such batteries at Fishers Island and Port Royal.

Gen. Gillespie also makes an extensive report upon rivers and harbor works, and discusses each improvement at considerable length by submitting estimates for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1902. Under continuing contracts, $6,489,677; rivers and harbors (general,) $12,548,600; examinations, surveys and contingencies, $300,000; California Débris Commission, $15,000.

The estimates for local improvements, as made by the Chief of Engineers, includes the following: San Diego Harbor, $200,000; San Pedro Harbor, $400,000; San Luis Obispo Harbor, $65,000; canal at The Cascades, Columbia River, Oregon, $90,000; Columbia and lower Willamette, below Portland, Or., $325,000; mouth of the Columbia River, Oregon and Washington, $600,000; Gray's Harbor, Wash., $176,775; Everett Harbor, Wash., $177,000.

PLANS FOR THE ARMY.

THIRTY THOUSAND MEN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The present plan of the administration with regard to the army in the Philippines is to maintain a force there of 30,000 men. The present strength is about 43,000, but before June, the terms of enlistment of 20,000 of these will expire, leaving a force that Gen. Chaffee reports to be inadequate.

Gen. Chaffee has proposed that the army be recruited by 10,000 new enlistments, pending the expiration of the terms of service, having in mind the continuing of a force of about 35,000 men. The Secretary of War has considered the question carefully, and while he is not yet ready to go to the full length desired by Gen. Chaffee, he is prepared to retain a force of 30,000. A regiment of infantry will soon be sent to the Philippines, and upon its arrival at Manila the regiment will be detached to return home, and this process will be repeated until June, when it is estimated that five regiments will have been sent.

MORE NAVAL VESSELS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] As a result of the sessions of the Naval General Board and the Naval Board of Construction, an identical programme of naval construction will probably be submitted to Secretary Long.

This programme, it seems certain, will provide for four battleships and four armored cruisers, as well as large and small gunboats, the latter for service in the Philippine Islands. The general board will recommend building about a dozen picket boats of not more than 800 tons displacement and high speed. The need of such boats was demonstrated in operations on the Cuban coast during the Spanish War.

LETTER OF STRIKERS.

REFERRED TO SECRETARY LONG.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The President will take no action whatever upon the letter sent to him yesterday by President O'Connell of the International Association of Machinists, regarding the strike at San Francisco. O'Connell expected the President would make, under his own direction, an investigation, and upon the results of that investigation would issue orders to the Navy Department.

Instead of doing this, the President has already referred the letter to Secretary of the Navy Long, who will consider it in the regular course of business.

PHILIPPINE TARIFF.

NOT TO BE INCREASED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The officials of the War Department insist that more protection is accorded to Philippine industries under the present American tariff than they received under the Spanish tariff. The charge that German hats and umbrellas can be sold in the Philippines at half the price it costs to manufacture these articles in Manila is said by the officials to be ridiculous.

The first tariff put into operation, which was substantially the old Spanish tariff, imposed a duty of 6 cents each upon umbrellas covered with paper; 41 cents when covered with silk and 19 cents when covered with other stuff. The present tariff levies 8 cents on umbrellas of the first class, 50 cents on those of the second and 20 cents on the third. The authorities say that ample protection is given to the Philippine industries, and they have no intention of increasing the tariff.

DECISION AS TO BEER.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Decision is about to be made by the Treasury Department which will be of general interest, and to brewers in particular, who yearly send 8000 barrels of beer to the Philippines. The department has been holding that, for customs purposes, the Philippines are part of the United States, but for internal-revenue purposes, foreign territory. This position threatened legal action on the part of St. Louis brewers to force the department to correct its apparent inconsistency. The Secretary of the Treasury will avert complications by holding for the present, at least, that the Philippines are domestic territory. The department will persist in this attitude until the decision of the United States Supreme Court is rendered.

By holding the islands to be domestic territory, the department will compel the payment of the internal revenue on beer and all taxable articles sent to the islands. It also will refuse to grant a "drawback" on articles sent to the islands into which imported foreign materials enter in manufacture. In this way the government will retain all moneys collected, and if the decision of the Supreme Court should be adverse to the department's attitude, the money can be refunded. Failure to take this position would, it is said, mean failure to protect the government's interests. The money could not be collected after the decision, if the department's present position proved erroneous. The decision of the Secretary will compel the brewers to pay the internal-revenue tax on beer sent to the Philippines, something not required of them now.

All manufacturers who use foreign materials in production of articles for exportation to the Philippines are equally liable.

SECRETARY'S ASSURANCE.

REVOKE INDIAN SCHOOL ORDER.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—Secretary Hitchcock today gave assurances to Bishop Riordan of San Francisco that he would revoke the Indian-school order of former Commissioner of Indian Affairs Browning, which held in effect that Indian children must be sent as far as practicable to the regular Indian schools and that after the government institutions had been supplied as far as practicable the Indian children might be sent to the sectarian schools. The Browning order was recently suspended, and the bishop asked that it be entirely revoked instead of suspended.

LIST OF APPOINTMENTS.

MADE BY THE PRESIDENT.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—The President today made the following appointments:

Justice Frank I. Osborne, North Carolina, Associate Justice, Court of Private Land Claims.

Navy—Lieutenant-commanders, Clarence A. Carr and John B. Bliss. Lieutenants, Leland B. James and Louis C. Stibt. Gunners, Owen Hill and Charles Hierdahl.

FRANK I. OSBORNE.

ASSOCIATE JUSTICE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—Frank I. Osborne, who was today appointed successor of Judge Fuller as Associate Justice of the United States Court of Private Land Claims, is, like his predecessor, a Democrat. He is a resident of Charlotte, N. C., and was formerly Attorney-General of North Carolina.

POSTAL SERVICE.

ESTIMATES FOR COMING YEAR.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—The estimates for the entire postal service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1903, aggregate $135,885,596. This is inclusive of $1,037,370 for departmental salaries and $216,650 for contingent expenses. The total for rural free delivery is $6,250,000, an increase of $2,750,000 over the current year.

The compensation for postmasters amounts to $20,000,000, letter carriers and substitute and temporary carriers $17,430,450; star route service, $6,715,000; railroad transportation, railroad postoffice car service and railway mail service, $52,563,456. The grand total for inland mail transportation is $63,019,956 and for foreign mails $2,542,000.

CANAL COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

SOON TO BE COMPLETED.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—The report of the Isthmian Canal Committee is well under way, but it is said authoritatively that it will not be ready to send to the President until about November 20.

M. Hutin, president of the Panama Canal Company, is still holding frequent conference with the commission, but up to this time he has not made a definite proposal for the sale of the Panama Canal interests. It is thought M. Hutin will make known in a few days on what terms his company will dispose of its interests.

It is the intention of Admiral Walker, chairman of the committee, to call a full meeting of the committee during the first few weeks of Noveber, when the report will be agreed to and signed and sent to the President for transmittal to Congress. Admiral Walker called on the President today and had a short talk with him on the subject of the report.

WASHINGTON BRIEFS.

Mrs. Grant Recovering.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—Mrs. Grant, widow of Gen. Grant, has almost recovered from her recent indisposition. She suffers from a bronchial affectation, which, however, does not confine her to her room. Mrs. Sartoris, Mrs. Grant's daughter, returned to Washington today, and will remain with her mother during the winter.

NO CUT IN COPPER.

Senator Clark Discusses the Situation in this Country—Surplus Stock is in the Refinery or Factory.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Senator W. A. Clark, owner of the rich United Verde copper property, who is in the city, expressed himself unreservedly today in regard to the American copper situation.

"I do not believe there will be any cut in the price of copper," he said, "and I do not see any necessity for it. I will wager that a consumer cannot buy 500 tons of spot copper in the New York market tomorrow. By spot copper, I mean copper ready for immediate delivery, suitable for manufacturing purposes. What surplus there is, is now in process of manufacture or refining, and cannot be drawn upon for several weeks."

The Copper King stated that he was aware of the truth of this situation, for recently he was in the market for several thousand pounds of copper for his wire plant at Elizabethport, N. J., and found considerable difficulty in placing the order.

PAN-AMERICAN CONGRESS.

CITY OF MEXICO, Oct. 30.—The Pan-American Congress this morning appointed committees. An extra session has been called for tomorrow morning to finally dispose of the press privileges in the congress. It is expected that a limited number of newspaper representatives will be admitted. One of the principal subjects which the congress will discuss at a future session is the means of suppressing anarchism.

SOUTH AFRICA.

BOER COMMAND TAKEN BY SURPRISE.

LORD KITCHENER REPORTS FROM PRETORIA.

Twenty-two Prisoners Were Taken by Col. Bing—Col. Fortescue Has a Running Fight and Captures Prisoners and Stores.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, Oct. 30.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Lord Kitchener, in a dispatch from Pretoria dated Tuesday, October 29, says Col. Bing surprised a Boer command October 25 and captured twenty-two prisoners, including Field Cornets Spanneberg and Onisthuisen.

Col. Fortescue, the dispatch adds, had a day-long running fight with Mueller's Botr command on the 27th, northward of Balmoral. He killed four Boers and captured fifty-four prisoners, thirty-six wagons and much stock.

SIGNIFICANT LANGUAGE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—The London Times and the New York Times print the following as a specimen of the language used by William H. K. Redmond, M.P., in a speech he delivered at Claremorris, County Mayo, Ireland:

"The Irishman today is not like the sturdy Transvaal burgher. Unfortunately he is unable to shoulder a Mauser and to knock the fear of man, if not the fear of God, into England's hirelings and ministers. But the day is perhaps not far distant when he may take a man's part in the restoration of the rights and liberties of which Ireland has been so unjustly deprived."

BOER WAR CLAIMS.

GERMANY RAISES QUESTION.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—The Berlin correspondent of the London Times and the New York Times, commenting upon the action taken upon the claims growing out of the Boer war, says that, notwithstanding the announcement that the British South African Compensation Commission has decided the sums to be paid to the various governments, it is stated in well-informed German quarters, that a definite arrangement between Great Britain and Germany on this head has not yet been reached. The correspondent believes the points still unsettled to be matters of minor detail.

The sums paid by Great Britain to the various governments will be paid by the latter to such persons as provide proof of their nationality.

In the case of Germany, Great Britain did not have to decide the status of the claimants who forfeited their nationality by becoming citizens of the South African republic or the Orange Free State. The correspondent intimates that some interesting developments may be expected in Berlin in regard to this class of claimant when the money is distributed.

FLASHES FROM THE WIRES.

At Toronto, Ont., John Armstrong, aged 55, came home last night and found his wife lying dead in bed. He went to the cellar and hanged himself.

Edward Gould has accepted the presidency of the reorganized Seventh National Bank. Business, it is expected, will be resumed in a few days.

The thirteen German waiters who arrived in this country early in the present month, on the steamer Mongolian, have been ordered by the Treasury Department to be deported as contract laborers.

The Getreidemarket, an agricultural paper, from replies to 13,000 inquiries, calculates that Germany's yield of wheat is 2,370,000 tons. The paper calculates that Germany will have to import during the current year 3,000,000 tons of wheat.

At Ridgetown, Ont., Mrs. James Robertson was knocked down by a ram Tuesday night, and while prostrate was attacked by a drove of hogs and killed. When found, both arms had been eaten off, and the body was otherwise terribly mangled.

A dispatch to the London Times from Constantinople says that the Turkish Ambassador at St. Petersburg has informed the Sultan of Turkey that the annexation of the island of Crete to Greece is imminent and inevitable.

At a special meeting of the stockholders of the American Bicycle Company, held at Jersey City yesterday, it was voted to reduce the authorized capital stock from $70,000,000 to the amount now listed at the stock exchange, namely, $26,996,400.

According to local newspapers, Joseph Herrings, the well-known German-American war correspondent, who was present at the battle of the Yalu, has been expelled from Prussia, the ground alleged being evasion of military service a number of years ago.

Miss Helen M. Gould yesterday announced that she had accepted the position of vice-president of the McKinley Memorial Association. Miss Gould also said that she had accepted the invitation to be a member of the women managers of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition of 1903.

A dispatch from London to the New York Tribune says that Robert Bond, Premier of Newfoundland, has been appointed knight commander of the Order of St. Michael and St. George, following the visit of the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York to Newfoundland.

The trade of Madagascar, says a dispatch to the London Times and the New York Times from Paris, has increased from £13,000,000 to £51,000,000 in five years. Tammatava has become the chief center of trade on the east coast. French posts are being rapidly pushed forward southward.

At the continued sale of the Haigh collection of coins, at Boston, the principal item was a collection of United States copper cents representing the dates from 1793 to 1857, inclusive, and containing 133 specimens, all different. The bidding on this lot started at $5 and increased until Mr. Collins, a Boston collector, bid $200 and the set was knocked down to him.

A special to the Salt Lake Tribune from Rock Springs, Wyo., says that west-bound Union Pacific passenger train No. 3 was wrecked at that place tonight by running into an open switch. All the passengers were badly shaken up, and W. W. Alexander, a traveling man from Chicago, was painfully, but not seriously, injured. Traffic was resumed after a short delay.

It is assumed that the Kaiser's reported threat to "smash everything to bits," if the commercial treaties are not concluded, says the Berlin correspondent of the London Times and the New York Times, is aimed at the Agrarians, who are warned that they will ultimately have to deal with Emperor William, and that they will receive short shrift, if they are intractible.

The Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad, formerly a corporation under the Illinois laws, but now incorporated in the State of Iowa, with a capital stock of $100,000,000, took out a license yesterday with the Secretary of State in Springfield to operate in Illinois, but without capital stock as an Illinois corporation. This action is a sequence of the reincorporation with headquarters in Burlington, Iowa.

The Official Gazette publishes a denial of the statement that King Edward is suffering from cancer, and declares untrue the report that specialists were in consultation regarding him during his recent visit to Denmark.

In a collision on the Wheeling division of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad a local passenger train and a light engine carrying workmen near Vance Station, yesterday, Michael Hahn, a car repairer, was killed and seven other employes injured. Of the injured, A. Spangler, bridge supervisor; James Baggan, division supervisor, and Michael Padden, supervisor's clerk, it is feared will die.

The New York sub-treasury has asked the aid of the Washington Secret Service Bureau in running down those persons who are responsible for the flood of light-weight silver half-dollar and dollar pieces recently discovered in that city. The method employed by the operators is unique, and in effect it is similar to the "sweating" of gold coins, once so common, with the addition that the silver coins are plated.

The Brussels correspondent of the London Times and the New York Times says that in opposition to the Military Bill in the Belgian Chamber of Deputies, the Radicals, Progressives and Socialists are uniting in favor of an alternative bill, providing for compulsory service, with no exemption for the rich. Professional men are exempted after six months if an examination shows that proper military knowledge has been acquired. There are similar exemptions for bread earners of families and clergymen, the latter exemption being conceded with certain restrictions. Those exempted are to pay a military tax according to their means. It is expected that the vote will be close, though the members of the opposition do not hope for a majority.

JURY TRIAL ORDERED.

In Suits by the Government Against Bishop & Co. to Condemn Lands for Naval Station.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

HONOLULU, Oct. 20. (A. P. Correspondence. Wired from San Francisco, Oct. 30.)—United States Judge Estes has ordered a jury trial in the case of the United States against Bishop & Co., one of the defendants in the suits by the government to condemn lands for the Pearl Harbor naval station. This is regarded as a substantial victory for all the defendants in the cases, as all have been fighting hard for jury trials, under the impression that a jury would value the land to be condmned higher than would the court. The valuation set in the pleadings for the government is less than $17,000, while the defendants claim $1,500,000.

Judge Estee set the Bishop case for trial by a jury for November 25, and ordered the cases of other defendants to be ready to follow. Though the order for a jury in the Bishop case was not made applicable to the others, it is expected to be followed as a precedent.

LARGEST SUGAR CARGO.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HONOLULU, Oct. 23.—The American steamship California will sail in a few days from Kahului, with the largest and most valuable cargo of sugar that has ever left the islands. She took 6255 tons of sugar from here, and will add 1700 at Kahului, her whole cargo being valued at $600,000. The steamer will go to New York by way of the Straits of Magellan. This steamer is one of the Hawaiian-American Company's fleet, which has taken all the sugar this year from Hawaii to New York. This new line has knocked out the clipper ships which formerly carried this sugar. The company is building here a big warehouse, that will hold more than a steamship load of sugar.

CHICAGO BLAZE.

Fire Destroys Seventy-five Homes, a Large Picture Factory and Packing Establishment—No Casualties.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Oct. 30.—Seventy-five families lost their homes and $750,000 worth of property was destroyed by fire tonight that started in Peterson & Co.'s picture-frame factory at Union street and Austin avenue.

Fanned by a strong wind, the flames got beyond control and spread to the small packing establishment of Reiburg & Stopp, and a long row of residences adjoining. Two blocks of dwellings skirting Milwaukee avenue were wiped out before the fire was subdued. The Peterson factory, which, with contents, was valued at $175,000, was destroyed. Most of the remainder of the loss was in residences.

It is believed that all persons living in the burned buildings escaped.

COOPER SHOP DESTROYED.

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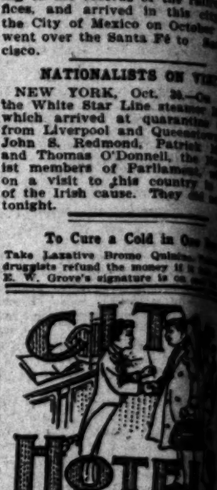

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Judge Johnson was called and identified his signature to the letter sent to Attorney Pillsbury, asking that he use his good offices to prevent the prosecution of Attorney W. T. Hume, who made some of the revelations in the case. This letter was signed by Judges Jackson, Johnson, Fink and Gilbert. The letter stated that the letter was sent from Hume upon the distinct understanding and agreement that no proceedings of any nature whatsoever, either for contempt or for criminality, would be instituted against him, and that he was assured that Attorney would use his kindly offices in his behalf. The writers said they understood that Pillsbury would take up the matter with the Attorney-General of the United States, and the District Attorney for the Northern District of California, and do what he could to prevent proceedings being instituted.

U. S. Frost, one of the referees, was called to testify in his own behalf, and made specific denial of the testimony given against him by Marshal Vawter, claiming that Marshal had been actuated by the arrangements, made by the agents to have Dudley Dubose removed from the Alameda County jail to testify.

RIG APPLE CROP.

EASTERN BUYERS IN MARKET.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TACOMA, Oct. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Apple shortage in Eastern States is enabling horticulturists of this state to make fortunes from their crop yield of apples. Buyers from Eastern markets are scouring Eastern Washington in their effort to secure shipments in carload lots. They are meeting with success, as the Evergreen crop is both larger and of better quality than ever before. A large percentage of Eastern Washington apples are highly colored and this, with their keeping qualities, is said to bring high prices in Chicago, New York and Boston. Daily shipments in carload lots are going forward from North Yakima, Walla Walla, Colfax and Wenatchee.

For ordinary apples, growers receive 25 per box, while good apples bring 50. These prices are paid generally for fruit in the orchard. Apple orchards five to ten years ago coming into full bearing, increasing the apple crop of the state from year to year, scores of farmers are receiving two to five thousand dollars from a few acres of apple orchards. One grower near Wenatchee has made $1000 net from twenty acres of orchard.

CORONADO MURDER TRIAL.

CIRCUMSTANTIAL EVIDENCE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN JOSE, Oct. 30.—In the trial of Nolberto Coronado for the murder of Frank Narona, testimony was adduced today that the same kind of moss which was found near the wound was discovered wadded in defendant's gun on the morning after the murder and after Coronado had said that he did not have any firearms.

SAID HE KILLED NORONA.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN JOSE, Oct. 30.—A sensation was sprung by the prosecution in the afternoon, when George Suesser took the stand. Suesser is the man who was recently convicted of murder in the first degree for the killing of Sheriff Earley, at Salinas, two years ago. Suesser testified that during his confinement in the jail he and Nolberto Coronado became intimate friends, to the extent of exchanging confidences, and that while they were discussing their mutual troubles, Coronado stated with an oath that he had killed Norona, and that there was another man whom he was "going to lay for."

His testimony was emphatic, and was not shaken on cross-examination. It was the cause of much excitement among the friends of the defendant.

INSTANTLY KILLED.

WOMAN IN THE CASE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BISBEE (Ariz.) Oct. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Julius Cadenas, a well-known business man, has shot and killed José Gonzales, because of attentions that the victim persisted in bestowing upon Mrs. Cadenas, despite the repeated protests of the husband. The shooting happened at night in a crowded gambling saloon, and any altercation that may have preceded it was unnoted by any of the hundred or more bystanders. Only one shot was fired. It penetrated Gonzales's brain.

There appears no intention of alleging self-defense, and the defendant says nothing but good of his wife. He is being held for examination, charged with murder.

BIG MINE CLOSES.

DID NOT WANT UNION TROUBLE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Oct. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The commonwealth mine at Pearce, eighteen miles east of Tombstone, reputed the greatest gold producer in Arizona, has been closed down because of labor troubles. Every man has been taken out of the mine, and the mill has been stopped, and the management is preparing for a cessation of work for even months to come. For several weeks rumors of impending trouble have been in the air, and it has been known that a miner's union was in process of formation in Pearce.

Just what the men expected to gain by the organization is not known. They were working under conditions similar to those in the best mines in the Southwest, and both wages and treatment are acknowledged to have been all that could have been expected. Manager John Brockman and the Commonwealth company fought the union idea from the start. Brockman offered to provide the men with a recreation hall or any such convenience as a union might establish and to favor the maintenance of any society that meant no regulation of what the company considered its own rights. Union he would have none. The stamps of the mill would be allowed to rust away before a union man were permitted in the mine.

It becoming evident that no compromise could be effected, the mill and mine were shut down Saturday, at the conclusion of the day shaft, and every miner was paid off and discharged. About one hundred and twenty-five men are affected. Many of them are married and own their homes. This class is staying, in the hope of adjustment. The single men have scattered already for other camps in the Southwest.

ERROR IN PLANS.

MINING BUILDING DELAYED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The plans for the new mining building which Mrs. Hearst is to construct for the University of California, as a memorial to Senator Hearst, have been unexpectedly delayed by the discovery of an error in the Bernard plans. The designs were nearly completed and work was ready to begin on the foundations when it was found that the famous French architect, who won the Phoebe Hearst architectural prize, had fixed the location of the mining building in an almost impossible spot.

When the surveyors came to set the stakes it was at once found that one corner of the proposed site is seventy feet higher than the lowest part. Such a difference in elevations would mean an enormous amount of leveling, if the location is accepted, and, as a consequence of the discovery, Architect Benard has been called upon to rectify the mistake.

The alterations may mean a big shift in the whole plans, and it is not known how soon the matter may be settled and work begun on the building.

The site selected is midway between the present mining building and Founders Rock, behind the mechanics' building.

PENAL CODE VOID.

GRANT GREEN SET FREE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

OAKLAND, Oct. 30.—Judge Melvin today declared the revised Penal Code void on the same grounds that the Code of Civil Procedure was recently declared void by the Supreme Court, and gave Grant Green, who was serving a sentence of ninety days in the County Jail for a misdemeanor, his liberty upon the showing of his attorney that the new code is in conflict with the Constitution.

CLEW FOUND.

MURDER MYSTERY MAY CLEAR.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SUISUN, Oct. 30.—A clew has been found which the officers think will lead to the discovery of the murderer of A. M. Anderson, who was killed near Winters, last March. Anderson was waylaid near that town and his head was crushed with some blunt instrument. He and a man by the name of Young were employés on the ranch of Col. Taylor. About four weeks ago Young went to Healdsburg.

Ten days ago Col. Taylor found a bloody shirt, which had been hidden near the barn on the ranch. By the laundry marks the shirt was identified as belonging to YeYung. Officers were notified and they determined to arrest Young. Sheriff Savage and Dist.-Atty. Devlin went to Healdsburg for that purpose on Friday evening, but Young had left there several days before. Every possible effort is being made to find him, and the officers think they will have him located in a few days.

The officers say the trial will probably develop a scandal involving prominent residents of Winters. It is intimated that both Young and Anderson were intimate with a married woman there.

KIDNAPING OF CREW.

LEFT ON BARREN ISLAND.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TACOMA (Wash.) Oct. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] An exceptionally bold and successful attempt at kidnaping occurred at Hoquiam yesterday morning. The schooner Defiance of San Francisco, which had cleared from Wood's mill with a large cargo of lumber for Suva, Fiji Islands, was boarded by ten men, about 3 o'clock in the morning, as the vessel was lying in the river awaiting arrival of a tug to tow her to sea. The men proceeded to the quarters of the crew, who were non-union sailors, and covered them with revolvers. The invaders then picked up clothes belonging to the crew and placed four sailors in a fishing-boat lying alongside the vessel. They then rowed with muffled oars to a small, barren island near Ocosta, put the sailors ashore and then disappeared in the fog.

One of the crew of the schooner made his way to shore and took the train for Hoquiam, where the perplexed captain of the Defiance was informed of the whereabouts and plight of his men. The captain secured a gasoline launch and proceeded down the bay, rescued his men and brought them back to Hoquiam.

Martin Kuint, donkey engineer on the steamer A. F. Coats, has been arrested as one of the invaders. Other arrests will probably follow.

STRIKE CLOSING.

MEN RETURN TO WORK.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TACOMA, Oct. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The molders returned to work today after being out on a strike since June 8. No concessions were granted the men, who have returned to work for pay at 35 cents an hour, the same as they were paid when they went out. A single change in the situation is made. Before the men went out they received 35 cents an hour for a week of sixty hours. The foundry proprietors have now arranged to make fifty-five hours a week's work. The men asked for an eight-hour day with pay at 40 cents an hour. The molders of both Tacoma and Seattle returned to work this morning as far as the bosses could employ them. It is not likely all can be again employed until the strike of the machinists has been settled.

The Metal Trades Association members feel that the return of the molders will have a tendency to weaken the position of the machinists, whose cause the molders espoused in a measure when they went out. Blacksmiths employed in the machine shops of Tacoma and Seattle also returned to work today without any concessions on the part of shop owners.

ROUGH VOYAGE.

THE QUEEN IN PORT.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SEATTLE, Oct. 30.—The steamship Queen, Capt. Lloyd, made port this afternoon with 490 passengers and a half million dollars in treasure from Nome. The steamer brought down a number of the more important Nome passengers who waited until the last boats sailed. Only the small steamer Arctic was left at Nome. The Roanoke had left four days ahead of the Queen for Dutch Harbor.

The Queen left Nome October 23 in a blinding snowstorm. Winter had set in in earnest and the thermometer had been steadily falling during the previous week. The steamer had a good voyage until within the last forty-eight hours before reaching Cape Flattery, at which time she was overtaken by a windstorm directly astern. The gale rose to forty-six miles an hour and the seas ran mountain high. The culmination came Monday night when the ship took to rolling heavily and dangerously, and just at the hour of change of watch, 4 a.m., she took a final plunge and a turn, which for the moment threatened to roll her completely over. She rolled over to the port side very nearly beyond the point of turning back. At the same moment she was struck amidships by a tremendous sea which stove in some of the staterooms, broke in the doors of the main saloon and sent tons of water into the dining saloon, pantry and kitchen, and flooded the lower cabins.

The electric lights went out, and to add to the confusion and danger, a live wire started a smoke and some excited passengers started the cry of fire. Cool heads, however, prevented a panic and the only inconvenience suffered by the passengers was a very late and very meager breakfast.

TWO PETITIONS.

ASK REHEARING OF CODE CASE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 30.—Two petitions for a rehearing of the Code case were filed in the Supreme Court today. One was signed by sixty-nine prominent lawyers from all sections of the State and the other by the members of the Code Commission.

LIGHT SENTENCE.

BURKE PLEADED GUILTY.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Oct. 30.—Because he pleaded guilty and saved the United States the expense of a trial, H. W. Burke, the man who was arrested for receiving notes of the defunct New Brunswick, N. J., bank through the mails, escaped with a sentence of eighteen months in the government prison on McNeil's Island and a fine of $100.

Burke was arrested some months ago at the time of the exposé of the plans of the gang in San Francisco.

WEDDED TWO DAYS.

SUICIDE OF YOUNG WIFE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Oct. 30.—Mrs. John Emmett, 17 years of age, committed suicide at a hotel today by swallowing carbolic acid. She had quarreled with her husband, to whom she had been married but two days. The couple came here from Halsey, Or., to spend their honeymoon.

STEAMERS ARRIVE.

CONDITIONS AT NOME.

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PORT TOWNSEND (Wash.) Oct. 30.—The steamers Queen and Valencia arrived today from Nome. Each brought down 300 passengers. On the Queen were one hundred stowaways who succeeded in boarding the vessel by climbing up the anchor chains while the vessel was anchored in the roadstead at Nome. Passengers report that 500 men were left at Nome, all of whom are penniless, with no means of making a living during the winter, and a reign of terror is predicted. During the entire voyage of the Queen petty thefts were of daily occurrence.

On the Queen were six Federal prisoners bound for the penitentiary at McNeil's Island, under sentence of from two to six years.

TRIED TO BOARD TRAIN.

YOUNG MAN KILLED.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

MADERA, Oct. 30.—Andrew Bowman, a young milk hand, was killed today by being thrown under the wheels of a train which he was boarding.

TWO ARRESTS.

SUSPECTED TRAIN ROBBERS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ROSEBURG (Or.) Two men were arrested here today by Marshal Ballard on suspicion of having been connected with the recent hold-ups of the Southern Pacific train. They gave their names as James Peltmore and Jack Wilson. They declare that they came from The Dalles and Hepner, Or.

BRIEF COAST DISPATCHES.

Oregon in Drydock.

SEATTLE (Wash.) Oct. 30.—The battleship Oregon is now on the government drydock at the Puget Sound Navy Yard, where she was taken last Friday to undergo repairs to her keel, which was severely strained when she ran on the rocks some months ago. Later she will be given a general overhauling and painting.

Stassforth Jury Out.

TUCSON (Ariz.) Oct. 30.—The case of O. A. Stassforth of Los Angeles, charged with adultery, was given to the jury at noon today. W. F. Haas of Los Angeles made the leading argument in defense. After being out twelve hours and no agreement having been reached, the jury was locked up for the night.

Wigg: Bjones married a cooking school girl.

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SCHLEY INQUIRY.

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to fire against the forts to develop them, and I think the reconnoissance, so far as it went, was eminently successful. The batteries were developed and the fact was demonstrated that the enemy was in port. With a squadron of only five or six ships, I believed that only the strongest military necessity would have justified me in risking the loss of a vessel that might have reduced our squadron to a numerical force inferior to that of the enemy.

"If one or two of our ships had been crippled the enemy might have come out and engaged us with disastrous results. The development of the facts as to the batteries and ships was, in my opinion, sufficient. The enemy's ships could not get away, and they did not get away."

The admiral was then asked whether he had informed Ensign Mackay, Capt. Cook and Correspondent Graham that the affair of May 31 was to be a reconnoissance. He thought he had, in a general way, and he thought he could be fairly said to have informed the captains so in the signals hoisted.

"Did you signal to the commanding officers that it was to be a reconnoissance?"

"No, I think not. I think I signaled that we should go in and fire our larger guns."

"Did the affair develop without question the presence of the enemy in the harbor?"

"I thought so, because of the large shells fired at us, and also because a number of vessels were seen."

Referring again to the alleged signal not to go in closer, Rear-Admiral Schley said he did not consider it probable that, if sent, it was sent because any vessel had shown any disposition to go in.

"No one was more anxious than I was to go in on that day," he said.

Capt. Lemly asked him why the mouth of Santiago Harbor had not been enfiladed and all the ships used May 31.

Rear-Admiral Schley replied that he had not done so simply because the batteries would have been safe, while the ships used thus would have been placed in greater danger.

"This is like many arrangements we might have made that we did not make. The coaling was impossible, and had been so strongly urged by the commander-in-chief I felt we should lose no opportunity of putting the ships in the highest condition of efficiency," he said.

"Why did you not steam more slowly as you passed the mouth of the harbor?"

The witness replied: "Well, that is a technical error that might have been remedied if someone else had been in command. Possibly the firing would have been more effective if we had gone in closer, but if we had, and had steamed more slowly there would have been no gain, as the range would have been narrower. It was a case of tweedledee on the one side and tweedledum on the other."

Capt. Lemly at this point passed to the battle of July 3, stopping to ask one or two incidental questions about the circumstances of the evening of July 2. July 2, when the suspicious movements were seen in the harbor of Santiago, the witness said he talked with Capt. Cook about the advisability of coupling up the engines. It was decided not to do so. He supposed the ship was always ready for a sortie.

Rear-Admiral Schley's attention was called to Capt. Cook's testimony that, on the night of July 2, he turned in with no intimation that the Spanish fleet would come out. Rear-Admiral Schley said that Capt. Cook's statement was in no sense inconsistent with his. He had no intimation that the fleet would come out.

THE FAMOUS "LOOP."

The cross-examination of the witness on the battle of Santiago began with a question as to what was the first move of the Brooklyn after the Spanish ships were sighted coming out.

"We were heading west by north," he replied. "The first helm was to port."

"Capt. Cook gave the order for the turn?"

"Yes."

"You regard that turn as very important, do you not?"

"I think it was the movement that decided the events of that day."

The rear-admiral said, in response to questions, that he had not mentioned the loop in his report of the battle. It was an incident of the battle which he had no idea would ever come into controversy. Capt. Cook had given the order without orders from him except under his general instructions to close in and keep somewhere about one thousand yards away, outside of the broadside torpedo range. When the time came for the turn, Capt. Cook's conception of the movement coincided with his own, although Capt. Cook gave the order; he would have done so in a moment; had the captain of the Brooklyn failed to do so.

"Do you assume full responsibility for the turn?"

"Absolutely. If I did not give the order, I approved it."

Asked whether he had heretofore, before the beginning of this inquiry, mentioned that he had during the battle given the signal to follow the flag, Rear-Admiral Schley replied: "I think I have kept my mouth pretty close on all these subjects, and don't recall speaking of the incident. I distinctly recollect giving the signal, and that it was flying for two minutes."

"Did the Brooklyn stand in and attempt to sink the Spanish fleet in the channel?"

"I started in at first to help the other vessels and to have them help me. I felt if we could stop the Spaniards, the battleships could go in and sink them. I never had any idea that they would get away."

Continuing, he said in reply to questions, that he estimated the Brooklyn had gone in to within a mile and a half of the mouth of the harbor, and was within range of the shore batteries. He thought that from twelve to fourteen minutes, the flagship had been within a range of less than two thousand yards from the Spanish ships.

"They looked very close," he said.

THE PURSUIT.

"When the Spanish ships succeeded in getting out of the harbor without being sunk, in accordance with orders, what alternative was there but to chase them?"

"There was no alternative—no other course was open, but much depended upon the character of the chase. Whether it was made in the proper way and was effective was one thing, while a poorly-conducted and ineffective blockade would have been another thing."

The rear-admiral said, in reply to questions, that while several of the vessels had failed to join in the chase, leaving the work, after the sinking of the Teresa and the Oquendo, to the Brooklyn and the Oregon, this was because they could not follow at the pace set by the Spaniards.

At this point Capt. Lemly introduced the following paragraph from Rear-Admiral Schley's report, dated Guantanamo, July 13, 1898:

"Since reaching this place, and holding conversations with several of the Spaniards, Capt. Eulate of the Vizcaya and the second in command of the Colon, Commander Contreras, I have learned that the Spanish admiral's scheme was to concentrate all the fire for a while on the Brooklyn and for the Vizcaya to ram her, in hopes that if they could destroy her, the chances of escape would be greater, as it was supposed she was the swiftest ship of the squadron. This explains the heavy fire mentioned and the Vizcaya's action in the earlier movements of the action. This purpose was promptly defeated by the fact that all the ships of the squadron advanced into close range, and opened an irresistibly fierce and terrific fire upon the enemy's squadron as it was coming out of the harbor."

Rear-Admiral Schley identified this paragraph as a part of his report. He said that before the helm of the Brooklyn was swung hard aport in order to make the loop, the helm was put alternately to port and to starboard, in order to meet the movements of the enemy's ships.

"It was difficult," he said, "to say at this time whether they meant to go between the Texas and the Brooklyn or the other way."

"You stated in your examination that, in making the turn, you did not see the starboard of the Texas?"

"I did so, absolutely."

Rear-Admiral Schley said in response to a question that he never heard of the Texas incident until two months after the battle. He had been under the impression until later that the starboard engine of the Brooklyn was backed to facilitate the turn. He recollected distinctly that he warned Capt. Cook, as the enemy approached, that they were going to ram him. He was closely questioned as to the order which went below to "stand by to ram."

In answer to a question, he said he supposed the captain had given the order. He was not certain. His attention was called to a letter of June 13, 1900, written from the South Atlantic station, in which he is quoted as saying that the turn was made to avoid the last attempt of the Vizcaya to ram, but as the letter could not be produced at the time, he was not questioned upon it. His attention was next directed to his letter to the Senate, in which he said the turn was made to avoid the blanketing the fire of his ships, and also to his statement in examination-in-chief that he had not turned to port, because to do so would have brought the ship into dangerous proximity to the enemy's vessels and exposed her to possible torpedo attack or ramming.

THERE IS ANOTHER.

"Now," said Capt. Lemly, "here appear to be three reasons why you made the turn. Why did you make that turn?"

"As I already stated in my direct testimony, there is another very much more important reason which you have not asked, and that was that the ship might continue in the action and beat the enemy, as we did. That was the controlling one of all."

"Have you stated that?" asked Capt. Lemly.

The witness replied: "I never stated that because I thought it was evident. I stated three or four reasons we could perhaps conjure up about it. I have them in mind. I believe I stated in relation to the Senate document that the matter was prepared very hurriedly and here I stated the general purposes the movement was intended to accomplish."

"Did you have much of these various relations in mind at the time?"

"Probably all of them and others."

SCHLEY'S REPORT.

The Judge-Advocate then took up Rear-Admiral Schley's report of the battle, made to the department, dated Guantanamo Bay, July 6, 1898, and he was questioned concerning the statements made therein, attention being called to the statement that, after the Vizcaya struck her colors, the signal was made to cease firing, and the sentence to the effect that the Oregon, having proved vastly faster than the other battleships, she and the Brooklyn, the Texas and another vessel which proved to be near the flagship continued west in pursuit of the Colon, which ran close inshore, evidently seeking some good spot to beach if she should fail to elude her pursuers.

"You wrote that?"

"Yes," replied Rear-Admiral Schley "and I can explain the whole thing if you will admit a preliminary report that was returned."

"I have no objection to your preliminary report, unless it comes under the rule that it was not sent."

"It was sent and returned."

Capt. Lemly: I think I have a right to continue now and not have them insert other evidence at this time.

Rayner: I differ with you on that. I think, when a witness is asked a question—

Admiral Dewey: The court has ruled it out because it was not sent. A good many questions have been asked. You might ask some more.

Rayner: It is not quite three days, yet he is just beginning.

Capt. Lemly: I do not want to answer that.

Rayner: I want to read this report.

Admiral Dewey: The court has decided that it had better be drawn out in some other way. We have ruled out all papers not sent.

Rayner: This was sent. This is not the report that was sent to the telegraph office.

Admiral Dewey: Oh, I beg your pardon.

LEMLY GIVES UP.

Capt. Lemly and Rayner continued the discussion for some time. The Judge-Advocate charged that Rayner's purpose was to interfere with the cross-examination. Admiral Dewey finally put an end to the discussion by saying if there was no objection to bringing in the report at another time it could be brought in at this point. Thereupon Capt. Lemly withdrew his point.

"The damage has already been done," he said. "It is for the purpose of detroying the order of the cross-examination, and that is now already accomplished. He has already accomplished all the damage he can do."

At this point the hour of 1 o'clock having arrived, the court took a recess for luncheon. After recess Capt. Lemly laid before the court Rear-Admiral's press copybook containing a copy of his letter embracing the first report to Rear-Admiral Sampson of the battle of Santiago, which had been returned, and there was more contention between counsel as to the admissibility of the document as evidence. The decision of the court was to the effect that the report could not be read aloud, and was announced through Admiral Dewey as follows:

"The court holds that there is no objection to the witness refreshing his memory from the letter, but he cannot read it aloud."

"Why haven't we the right to read it?" asked Rayner.

"Because the court does not want it," replied Admiral Dewey. "It has ruled otherwise. It was ruled out on the same principles that applied to Admiral Schley's telegram which was not sent."

"There is the difference," said Rayner, "that while the telegram was never sent, the letter was sent and returned."

Capt. Lemly: How do you know that?"

Rayner: The is what we want to prove.

Capt. Lemly: The mark is on its face that it was not sent."

Rayner: We propose to show that was an error. That marking was done by Admiral Schley's flag lieutenant.

Admiral Dewey: The letter has the same standing as the telegram. We don't know why it was marked as "not sent," except that it was so marked.

Rayner, to Rear-Admiral Schley: Who made the mark?

Rear-Admiral Schley: My secretary, after I had returned from the flagship New York.

After some further sparring by counsel, Rear-Admiral Schley explained that the original preliminary report of the battle had been sent to the commander-in-chief and returned to the Brooklyn.

SAMPSON DECLARED HIMSELF.

"Admiral Sampson signaled for me to come on board again," he said, "which I did, and he handed the report back to me. There was nobody but himself and myself in the cabin at the time, and from the conversation I had with him I was led to believe ——"

Capt. Lemly said: "We want the conversation."

"Admiral Sampson handed it back to me with the statement that he was commander-in-chief, and that I had omitted a very important detail—that the New York was present. I felt that the victory at the time, as I said, was big enough for all, and I made this out of generosity, and because I knew that if the New York had been present, she would have done as good work as anybody else in 'your command.' I referred to, all throughout this, his appearance and so on in complimentary terms. That was the reason."

In response to a question, the witness testified that, during a part of the battle, the Indiana, Gloucester and Iowa were obscured from the Brooklyn.

"When the Colon surrendered why did you not take possession of her and aim to save her?"

"I sent aboard to receive her surrender, and was going to do that very thing when the flagship came up. I am satisfied she was all right when I left for the eastward."

"Where did you obtain your statement to the Senate that you went 800 yards to the southward when the Brooklyn's turn was made?"

"From the report of the board of the officers who charted the courses of the ship July 1.

"You testified that dispatch dated May 27 was not delivered to you until June 10."

"I did."

"Did you know by what means that report reached you?"

"That would be difficult to state."

The rear-admiral was asked what conversation he had with Lieutenant-Commander Hodgson before the loop was made. He said he could not recall a single word except the latter's statement that the enemy was coming straight for them. He had never been able to recall a colloquy.

"Did you give out for publication Lieutenant - Commander Hodgson's categorical denial?"

"I did."

The witness stated that he would still say that he had desired to get Hodgson right as well as himself, but he had done nothing in that direction because the department ordered an investigation.

CAPT. LEMLY CONCLUDES.

At 2:26 o'clock p.m. Capt. Lemly concluded his cross-examination, which had been begun at the morning session of Monday.

Capt. Lemly said: "I have not any further questions." He turned to Mr. Rayner, who said: "We have not a single question."

"The court has a few," said Admiral Dewey.

At the conclusion of the cross-examination there was placed in evidence the telegram sent by Rear-Admiral Schley to the department July 10, saying in substance that he did not desire to assume entire credit for the victory of July 3, and that it belonged to the fleet under the command of Admiral Sampson. In reply to a question, he said he had taken this dispatch to Admiral Samuson, who said he was very glad he had sent it, and thought it was very generous.

"Who was generous" asked Capt. Parker.

"I, of course."

THE COURT'S QUESTIONS.

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WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—The questions of the court, with Rear-Admiral Schley's answers, were as follows:

"While off Cienfuegos, could you see the shore to the westward of the entrance so distinctly that you were able to form a clear idea of the practicability of making a landing-place?"

"Yes; I think I did."

"Was there any reason why you could not send a boat inshore to obtain information about Cervera's squadron, from the fishermen or other persons who could be communicated with?"

"There were no fishermen that I discovered anywhere along that coast. I saw none. I saw no boats."

"Lieut. Hood testifies very positively to a conversation you had with him at Cienfuegos. Can you say if any such conversation took place?"

"I stated under a mistake that it was Lieut. Wood, the names being so nearly alike, but what I testified to in my direct testimony touching that matter applies with equal force to Lieut. Hood. I cannot recall one single word that Mr. Hood said to me, or any conversation I had with him."

"Had Admiral Cervera left Santiago for some point to the westward at the same time you left Cienfuegos, could not his squadron have passed between your ships and the shore without being seen by you?"

"If it had been at night, probably yes; in the daytime, I think not."

"What was your reason for going over twenty miles to the southward of Santiago, instead of directly to the harbor's mouth, May 26?"

"Because I laid the course for that point, supposing that if the squadron were still out or had got out coincident with my leaving, they would run to the southward, and it was with the view of giving me a larger horizon."

"Was it not possible for your squadron to blockade Santiago on May 26 for a few days, and still have coal enough to run to Key West?"

"Yes, if I had known then, as I knew subsequently, that the fleet was there."

"Did not the order under which you were acting require you to remain off Santiago?"

"Possibly, yes; but I do not think that the order given me was to deprive me of all discretion in the matter if I heard to the contrary."

RISK IN COALING.

"Was not the situation at Santiago May 26 such as to warrant you in taking considerable risk in coaling the ships of your squadron?"

"I think that the risks would have been too great, in my judgment. We probably would have lost the collier, and under the circumstances of my information there I felt that that ought not to occur."

"Did not Capt. Cotton inform you that the Harvard had coaled at Mole St. Nicholas, and that one large ship at a time could coal there in ordinary weather?"

"No, I do not recall that. I do not remember that he said anything about coaling at Mole St. Nicholas. His information to me referred mainly to small vessels, as I recollect it."

Admiral Benham asked: "He said nothing about the Harvard coaling, did he?"

"I do not remember that he did."

"Were the injuries to the Merrimac's engines as reported to you of such a character as to convince you that she was hopelessly disabled?"

"Yes. They reported to me that her intermediate valve stem was broken. Of course, not being an engineer, I took it for granted that she was hopelessly disabled. I sent the chief engineer on board the next morning early, and he reported to me that her repairs would require some time."

"What was your object in seeking to develop the batteries May 31?"

"Simply to be able to know what was in front of us. I thought we ought to know that, in view of the possibility of our having to be obliged to force the entrance."

"Did you risk having some of the vessels of your squadron injured in making the attack of May 31?"

"I thought that was remote at the range I had chosen."

"Are you sure that the prevailing wind near Cape Cruz during the month of May was west and southwest?"

"I though so, because that was the conclusion of the pilot. Of course, I know very little about it, and I think any one who reads sailing directions doesn't get very much comfort out of them."

"You have stated that you considered the movement to the westward on May 26 as based on sound military principle. Why, then, did you go back to Santiago?"

"For the reason, as I stated, that after the steaming radius of the ships had been equalized, the time consumed in going back would be very little, and that if it eventuated in the fact that the Spanish squadron was not there, we would not have to stay a very great time."

"As the scouts were acting independently and could coal when they pleased, why was their short supply of coal a matter of anxiety to you?"

"Simply because they came together under my command, and I, as the senior officer, had to assume authority for them and their movement."

AMBIGUOUS ORDER.

"Please point out the particular parts of the department's order of May 25 which you regarded as ambiguous."

"Rear-Admiral Schley read as follows: "'All of the department's information indicates Spanish division is still at Santiago.'

"The following paragraph," he said, "indicates that there was doubt of the fact. They required me to ascertain, or suggested that I ascertain that. Then, again (reading,) 'The Cubans who are familiar with Santiago say that there are landing places five or six nautical miles west.' That location was at this time, according to the information I got subsequently, occupied by Spaniards. Again (reading,) 'As soon as ascertained, notify the department whether enemy is there.' Those were the main things that occurred to me as being ambiguous."

"When operating in squadron, has any one authority to change the course of the flagship without the direct order of the commander-in-chief, except to meet some sudden emergency when there is not time to report to the commander-in-chief?"

"No."

"What reason had you for supposing that the Spanish squadron would run south after leaving Santiago?"

"Simply because that would have been the direction in which they could have hidden themselves sooner."

"Why did the Brooklyn and Massachusetts leave Key West on May 19 short of coal?"

"Because of the order of the commander-in-chief. He sent over to me, on the morning of the 19th, a young officer—I do not recall his name—with instructions and the orders under which I acted, saying that the commander-in-chief thought it would be wise to go at once, or better to go at once.

"Was there any shortage of coal at Key West on May 18?"

"That, of course, I do not know. I do not know what the supply was there."

"As you were ordered to go to Cienfuegos to establish a blockade, was it not your duty, under the circumstances to communicate direct, either by signal or otherwise, with the senior officer of the vessels returning from Cienfuegos and obtain from him all information regarding the situation at or near that port, particularly as there was the probability that the said senior officer had knowledge of the destination of the 'Flying Squadron?'"

"McCalla testified that he directed him to communicate to me information of the situation, and I, of course, took it for granted that if he had anything important he would have notified me of the fact without my inquiring."

"Did the 'Flying Squadron,' when on blockade off Cienfuegos, ever steam in toward the port between 8 p.m. and 4 a.m?"

"My general impression now is that the steaming of the squadron was principally in a direction to the southward and westward to prevent us from drifting in. We maintained, or tried to maintain, a position closer at night than in the daytime."

"What effort did you make at or near Cienfuegos before the arrival of the Adula to discover whether or not Admiral Cervera's squadron was in that port?"

"I thought the coast was occupied, and that to have sent in a party would have brought disaster to them. I knew of the cable-cutting expedition, and I knew that Capt. McCalla had lost quite a number of men, and I supposed that the coast was occupied. I saw evidence once or twice."

"Did any of your vessels scout between the 'Flying Squadron' and the south coast of Cuba with the view of discovering the Spanish squadron in the event of its having left Santiago for Cienfuegos?"

"No."

"Did you consider Capt. Sigsbee's report that he had not seen the Spanish squadron and Pilot Nunes's statement that the Spanish ships were too large to enter the harbor of Santiago proof that the information given you by Capt. McCalla, on May 24, that the Spanish force under Cervera had been reported authoritatively in Santiago on May 19, and that they were still reported there on the afternoon of May 24, was erroneous?"

"I don't recollect that he gave me that, if I did. I don't recollect at all."

DIFFICULT QUESTION.

"If you were governed in making the 'retrograde movement' by the motives you have stated here, why did you send to the department the dispatch of May 27, 1898, which you gave to Capt. Cotton to send in cipher from Kingston?"

"That is a very difficult question to answer."

Admiral Ramsay said: "You gave four motives for the 'retrograde movement.' Those motives do not appear clear to me."

"I telegraphed mainly regarding the coal supply, because I imagined that that would be the most important motive, in view of the fact that the ships might not have a sufficient coal supply. I do not know that I gave any reasons for it. I did in a subsequent dispatch to the department, stating that the movement to the westward had been for a certain object."

"When you designated the New Orleans as one of the vessels to take part in the bombardment of May 31, did you know the range of her 6-inch guns? Capt. Folger has testified that the New Orleans fired at ranges varying from 8000 to 10,000 yards."

"Yes, I knew that the guns were of extra caliber. I think of about fifty caliber, and that their range was very much longer than the shorter guns of forty caliber."

"If it were your intention on May 31 to open fire with three vessels only, with a view of developing the batteries, why did you, at 11:20 a.m. of that date, make a signal to the squadron, 'The Massachusetts, New Orleans and Iowa will go in, after dinner, to a distance of 7000 yards and fire at the Cristobal Colon with 8, 10, 12 and 13-inch guns, speed about 10 knots?'"

"I intended that the heavier guns, of course, should be directed at the Colon, and afterward I determined to make another signal to the New Orleans when I got on board, which I did."

"During the engagement of May 31, could you tell whether those heavy projectiles came from the batteries or from the ships in the port?"

"I judged mainly by the range, and I saw two or three. I imagined or supposed that the heavier ones, which passed us far beyond, must have been from a very much heavier caliber than those in the battery. I thought at that time, after the reconnoissance, that the guns in the battery were 6, or possibly 8-inch, and I think that was a fact, that there were 8-inch mortars there, and I inferred from the longer range of several shots that went outside that they must have come from the Zocapa battery."

"You have spoken of the caliber of the guns of the ships engaged in the battle of July 3. Did not some of these ships carry 6-inch guns?"

"I think the Texas did. I do not remember about the others."

"Was the conversation with Capt. Cook regarding coupling up the Brooklyn's engines held on July 2 or July 3?"

"My recollection now is that it was on the 2d, in my cabin."

MERRIMAC'S INJURIES.

"Could you not obtain from the chief engineer of the Brooklyn definite information as to the nature of the Merrimac's injuries?"

"He explained to me, as I said, the next day, that they were serious, and that it would take a long time to repair them, but as soon as I found that she could use her own engines, we made use of them."

"Where could the Spanish squadron have taken refuge by steering south after leaving Santiago?"

"They could not have taken refuge. They could have gotten, of course, to Jamaica, but I should imagine that they could have gone, after skirting around me, to the westward to Havana, knowing that the fleet of Admiral Sampson had gone east."

The court having concluded its questions, Capt. Lemly said he wanted to propound one or two questions. He asked: "Did your chief engineer report to you at any time that the Merrimac was hopelessly disabled?"

"I think he said it would depend upon the possibility of repairing her intermediate valve, and that they would determine whether they could work her compound in the meantime."

"Did he, or did he not, report definitely a short time or a long time as the period necessary to repair the Merrimac's engines?"

"I don't know that he reported exactly the time, except that it was indefinite. I do not think he knew himself when the repairs would be completed."

The examination of Rear-Admiral Schley was concluded at 3:00 o'clock p.m., and he was excused.

There being no further witnesses present, thecourt, at 3:10 o'clock p.m., adjourned until 11 o'clock tomorrow.

FLAGS PRESENTED.

Picturesque Ceremony in Paris—Military Governor of Paris Makes a Patriotic Speech.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PARIS, Oct. 30.—[By Atlantic Cable.] There was a picturesque ceremony in the grand courtyard of the Hotel des Invalides today, consisting in the handing over of the flags of a regiment which formed part of the expedition to China, and the colors of a regiment which took part in the Madagascar campaign. A company of soldiers in gay Turkish costume, and companies of other line regiments were drawn up in the courtyard. Facing them were massed the veterans in quarters of the Hotel des Invalides.

Gen. Foure-Biguet, the military governor of Paris, surrounded by a brilliant staff, reviewed the men and afterward made a patriotic address. The grizzled veterans then advanced and took possession of the flags, which they reverently held when the troops marched past, saluting them. The flags were then placed in the Hotel des Invalides.

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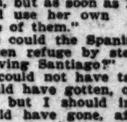

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ST. LOUIS, Oct. 30.—Six furlongs, selling: Le Flare won, Sister Sarah second, Sting third; time 1:14⅘.

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One mile, selling: Eleven Bells won, Eda Riley second, Lady Curzon third; time 1:41⅘.

Mile and a sixteenth, selling: Peaceful won, Found second, Prosper La Gal third; time 1:48.

One mile and an eighth, selling: Lady of the West won, Swordsman second, Irving Mayor third; time 1:55⅘.

Five and a half furlongs, selling: Blue Blaze won, Miss Guido second, Battus third; time 1:07⅘.

Lakeside Racing.

CHICAGO, Oct. 30.—Six furlongs: Wing Dance won, Dulcimer second, Lucky Locket third; time 1:16 2-5.

Mile and three-quarters: Searcher won, Ben Chance second, Sarilla third; time 2:07 3-5.

Six furlongs: Burnie Burton won, Moneymuss second, The Pride third; time 1:13 2-5.

Mile and three-sixteenths: Rolling Boer won, Denman Thompson second, Frangible third; time 2:01 2-5.

Mile: Avarice won, Prairie Dog second, Helen Paxton third; time 1:42.

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Latonia Sport.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 30.—Five furlongs: Watered won, Pepper Dick second, Frank Jones third; time 1:03 1-5.

Six furlongs, selling: Suave won, Ecome second, Oceneane third; time 1:15⅘.

Mile and a quarter, hurdles: Eleanor Holmes won, Devertisement second, Robert Morrison third; time 2:27.

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Five and a half furlongs: Jane Oker won, Mollie T. second, Leanja third; time 1:10.

Aqueduct Results.

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—Bay View handicap, seven furlongs: St. Finnan won, Otis second, Lady of the Valley third; time 1:27 4-5.

One mile and seventy yards, selling: Dr. Riddle won, Handicapper second, Mercer third; time 1:46 1-5.

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Pacing Colt Sold.

TERRE HAUTE (Ind.) Oct. 30.—The three-year-old bay colt Tertimin, pacer, has been sold by the Flemings to W. P. Stein of West Virginia for $7000, the highest price ever paid for an Indiana-bred colt.

SCHOONER MISSING.

The John Cabot from Ros Blanche, N. F., and Bound for North Sydney is Supposed to Be Lost.

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HALIFAX (N. S.) Oct. 30.—The British schooner John Cabot sailed from Ros Blanche, N. F., for North Sydney on Oct. 21, and since that date nothing has been heard of the vessel or crew. Besides her crew she had on board the Rev. Dr. O'Reghan, a passenger who was to have been landed at Channell, N. F., fifteen miles distant from Ros Blanche. But the vessel never touched at the port. It is supposed that the schooner has foundered with all hands.

DETAINED BY CASTRO.

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—Miss C. Decerra, the daughter of Ricardo Decerra, who was Colombian Minister to Washington fifteen years ago, has at last succeeded in escaping from Venezuela, where she had been detained by President Castro, says the Port of Spain, Trinidad, correspondent of the Herald. She has rejoined her family at Port of Spain, where her father, who is now blind, has resided since his expulsion from the capital.

Her brothers are consuls for Colombia in Trinidad and Curacao, and it is said to have been because of a desire to hold them in check that President Castro refused to permit her deportation. With the assistance of an officer of a French steamer which plies between La Guayra and Trinidad, she succeeded in eluding those set to watch her, and, dressed as a nun, escaped to Trinidad. Miss Becerra, who has been trying for two months to escape, was educated in the United States.

TO REGULATE STRIKES.

MADRID, Oct. 30.—The Minister of the Interior, Señor Moret, proposes to regulate strikes by legislation, and to that end has introduced a bill in the Cortes legalising any strikes when from four to fifteen days' notice is given to the authorities. Strikes stopping the works of an entire town, or tending to produce a lack of the necessities of life will be illegal, and the leaders in such strikes will be punished by imprisonment. Similar conditions will govern the employers' coalitions. Concessions for public works will hereafter stipulate that contracts must be made with the workmen, setting forth the hours of labor and wages. Disputes will be referred to the authorities and to arbitrators.

MOLINEUX INDICTMENT.

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—The application by counsel for Roland B. Molineux for the dismissal of the indictment charging him with the murder of Mrs. Katherine J. Adams, came up before Judge McMahon, in the Court of General Sessions today. An application for an adjournment for the argument, made by Asst. Dist.-Atty. Garvan was denied, the court saying the defendant's counsel might present their argument this evening and that the District Attorney can be given time in which to prepare his reply. Ex-Gov. Black, of counsel for Molineux, urged that this indictment be dismissed because illegal evidence was presented to the grand jury, which found the indictment and also on the ground that the indictment was found on insufficient evidence.

PORTO RICO'S ASPIRATIONS.

CHICAGO, Oct. 30.—The visit to the United States of the Porto Rican delegation of business men, who spent the day in Chicago, has a far greater significance than has appeared heretofore. Instead of coming to inspect the commercial methods of this country and incidentally to go on a little junketing trip to the Pan-American Exposition, the Porto Ricans have come primarily to pave the way for the admission of their island, first as an organized Territory, and then as a State. The authority for this statement is Frederico Degelau, the present commissioner from that island to to the United States.

RIPPLES OF MIRTH.

Animal Food.

"Will you have some horseradish?" said Mrs. Small to her new boarder.

"Thank you, no," replied the latter. "I'm a vegetarian."—Philadelphia North American.

Intelligent Animals.

"I saw a horse at the circus that knows its A, B, C's."

"That's nothing. My uncle has an ox on the farm that always knew 'gee!' "—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Another for Pa.

Little Willie: Say pa, what is a stepmother?

Pa: A mother by marriage, my son.

Little Willie: Then a step-ladder is a ladder by marriage, ain't it, pa?

A Hard Problem.

First Scientist: This is a puzzling case, indeed.

Second Scientist: I should say so. Why this would puzzle an amateur scientist.—[Baltimore American.

In Great Luck.

"So you went hunting?"

"Yes."

"Have any luck?"

"Some. I didn't get shot by any of the other people who were hunting with me.—[Washington Star.

Where Danger Lies.

"I want to be famous," said the boy.

"Well, you'll have to be mighty careful," answered the father. "There are more people who make fools of themselves trying to be famous than in any other way."—[Chicago Post.

Extraordinary.

Towne: See that man? Well, sir, he landed in this country with his bare feet, and now he's got millions."

Browne: Great Scott! He's worse than a centipede, isn't he?—[Stray Stories.

On the Voyage Over.

She (watching the steerage passenger:) See those two German girls! What lovely hair they have. Now, that's what I call real golden hair.

He: Nonsense. Can't you see it's plaited?—[Philadelphia Press.

Already There.

Towne: Do you really think the automobile will ever figure in a war?

Browne: Ever will? Gracious, my man, haven't you ever heard a controversy between two chauffeurs as to the merits of their respective machines?—Philadelphia Press.

A Habit.

"Excuse me," said the old friend, "but would you mind telling me why you spell 'yacht' 'yact?' "

"Oh, ya-as. Been living in London, dear boy. Never can tell any more where I'm going to drop an h, don't you know."—[Washington Star.

In a Nutshell.

"How did you like the finale to my first act?" inquired the playwright.

"I didn't see it," replied the first-nighter.

"Ah! Got there too late, eh?"

"No; went away too soon."—[Philadelphia Press.

What Starts It.

Tenderfoot (on Texas ranch:) I should think it would be a lot of trouble for a man to pick out his own cattle from among so many.

Cowboy: Oh, that's an easy matter. The trouble begins when he picks out some other man's cattle. See?—[Chicago News.

Force of Example.

Teacher (instructing class on manners:) Now, Willie Brown, for example, if you were sitting in an electric car, every seat occupied and an old lady entered, what would you do?

Tommy: Please, sir, I would pretend I was sleeping.—[Tit-Bits.

Cautious Girl.

Percy: I proposed to Isabel on a lovely moonlight night.

Guy: Well—

Percy: She said to bring the matter up again some cloudy night; that she didn't want matters to stand so I could blame the moon if we made a bad match.—[Detroit Free Press.

A Suggestion.

"No, I'm not very well impressed with the house," said the prospective tenant. "The yard is frightfully small; there's hardly room for a single flower bed."

"Think so," replied the agent; "but—er—mightn't you use folding flower beds?"—[Philadelphia Press.

Wanted His Reward.

Willie: Oh, mamma, you said that if I did a real act of kindness this morning you'd give me some cake. Please give it to me now.

Mother: What act of kindness did you do?

Willie: A cat came into our back yard and I didn't stone it.—[Boston Herald.

Neatly Trapped.

She They used to say marriage was a lottery, but Uncle Sam doesn't seem to look at it that way.

He: Why?

She: He doesn't bar it from the mails.

Then there was absolutely nothing left for him, but to propose.—[Chicago Record-Herald.

A Quiet Tip.

Old Gent: On the eve of your marriage let me give you a piece of advice. Remember when your wife's next birthday comes, and give her a handsome present.

Young Man: Yes, of course.

"Give her the best your pocket can buy every birthday; but at Christmas, New Year's and such times, give her only inexpensive little tokens. Form that habit."

"Yes; but why?"

"It will pay you."

"I presume so."

"Yes. In a few years you can begin to forget the birthday, and she won't say a word."—[New York Weekly.

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OBITUARY.

Albert Grubbs.

SACRAMENTO, Oct. 30. — Albert Grubbs, one of the oldest and most highly-respected colored citizens of Sacramento, died at his residence today after a long illness. Grubbs was a native of Kentucky, and was a slave. He claimed that he was one of the body servants of Henry Clay, and that he closed the eyes of the great orator and statesman when he died in 1852.

Herr Schoenlan.

LEIPSIC, Oct. 30.—Herr Schoenlan, a well-known Socialist member of the Reichstag, died here today.

Girard Bruce.

SIOUX CITY (Iowa) Oct. 30.—Girard Bruce, editor of the Live Stock Record, a newspaper man widely known throughout the Northwest, is dead of pneumonia.

MINER FOUND DEAD.

BUTTE (Mont.) Oct. 30.—David Horgan, a Butte mining man, who disappeared from his claim in Alaska basin near here a few days ago, has been found dead in Centennial Creek near Lakeview, this State.

EARTHQUAKES IN ITALY.

ROME, Oct. 30.—This afternoon an earthquake was felt in many Italian cities, including Spezzia, Genoa, Bologna, Bresci and Milan. There were two severe shocks at Gallarate, where a number of houses were damaged.

ROYALTY ARRIVES HOME.

LONDON, Oct. 31, 4 a.m.—The British squadron escorting the royal yacht Ophir, bearing the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York, was sighted at 1 o'clock a.m. tody, six miles off The Lizard. A wireless message had previously reached the Ophir fifty miles east of Scilly Islands.

MR. COCKRAN IMPROVED.

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—W. Bourke Cockran, who was badly injured yesterday by a fall from his horse, was reported today to have passed a comfortable night. His injuries, while painful, are thought to be not dangerous.

CELEBRATED PAINTING SOLD.

LONDON, Oct. 30.—Charles Yerkes has purchased Turner's celebrated painting, "Rockets and Bluelights," at the record price of £15,750.

The Cahuenga Valley.

A visit to Colegrove and Hollywood reveals a lively condition of agricultural affairs in that part of the county. All over the valley the winter vegetable growers are busy planting or cultivating winter tomatoes, beans, peas and other varieties of food plants. This frostless section gives promise of a large crop of field vegetables, the condition of the plants being very fine. The valley presents a beautiful sight, with its blocks of green field crops interspersed with lemon groves in full bloom, and a few orange orchards in fruit just yellowing for the holiday trade. On the hillside north of the villages one ranch contains fruits supposed to be of tropical habits, such as the pineapple, the monstera deliciosa, and St. John's bread. This is the only locality that has successfully grown the pineapple without winter protection, to my knowledge, which indicates well the value of the Cahuenga for early vegetable raising.

Sixteen thousand lemon trees in those famous orchards over there have been fumigated by the Cahuenga Valley Lemon Association, and the workmen will wind up for the season by the 1st of November with 20,000 lemon trees disinfected of black scale by the cyanide process. This covers 75 per cent. of the citrus trees of the entire valley. The association is shipping three carloads of cured lemons every week since the lull in the trade, and there is a clean, heavy crop maturing on the trees at this writing.

Mr. Harper, the senior member of a prominent Los Angeles firm, is having worlds of trouble with the "red spider" upon his orange grove, three miles beyond Hollywood. He was trying a new experiment last Friday to rid his trees of this pest. The device consisted of a series of movable iron pipes, which were extended up through the foliage of the trees ten feet above the topmost branches. On the end of each pipe an ordinary sprinkler was fastened, through which the water was forced from the reservoir located 200 feet above the orchard. It was an unique sight to see all these sprayers at work in the wind, showering the offending mites with cold water. Mr. Harper was persuaded to take out the pipes and wash his trees thoroughly with the same pressure from the nozzle of the long lines of hose in use—an effective remedy for the spider, as it does not recover easily after being beaten off the trees and mixed with the soil. This is the only orchard pest Mr. Harper has in his orchard, but it has nearly ruined a number of his finest trees.

Violinist: My violin is two hundred years old.
Ignorant Manager: Well, it's too late now to change it for a new one. I don't believe the audience will notice it.

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25c Spun Glass 18c.
A splendid material for skirt linings, in all the shades of brown, gray, green, cardinal, blue, pink and old rose, extra value at 25c; special Thursday and Friday, per yard, 18c.

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54 inches wide, suitable for unlined skirts and tailor-made suits, pure wool, splendid value at $2; special today, per yard, $1.69.

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New York Mills muslin, bleached, 54 inches wide, this muslin is too well known to require any description, it sells all over the United States at 18c; Broadway special, today only, per yard 10c

Standard calicoes, very desirable patterns, dark colorings, this is the grade for which you always pay 6¾c; Broadway special, today only, per yard 4 7/8c

12½c Colored Percaline 8¾c.
Good quality percaline, 36 inches wide, a complete line of all the fall shades; grade that is sold all over town at 12½c; special Thursday and Friday, per yard, 8¾c.

12½c Yard Wide Silesia 9c.
Good heavy twilled quality, in the best shades of gray, tan, red, pink, also plain black, the grade for which you always paid 12½c; special Thursday and Friday, per yard, 9c.

25c Double Faced Silesia 12½c.
Full 36 inches wide, black back, face of gray, with neat figures, fair lengths, regular 25c grade; special Thursday and Friday, per yard, 12½c.

Card hump hooks and eyes, 2 doz. to the card, black or white, any size you want, they sell all over town at 5c; special Thursday and Friday, per card 1½c

Sewanbill hooks and eyes, black or white, all sizes, 2 doz. to the card; special Thursday and Friday, per card..... 1c

Doz whalebones, all lengths, fine quality, regular price 10c; special Thursday and Friday, per dozen..... 5c

Buttonhole twist, all colors, regular price 3½c; special Thursday and Friday, per spool..... 1c

Dress stays, all colors, all lengths, satine covered, fancy stitched, sold all over town at 10c per doz.; special Thursday and Friday, dozen 5c

Whalebone casing, fine quality, all colors, regular price 8c; special Thursday and Friday, per bolt 4c

Skirt binding, brush or cord edge, colors only, quality that sells regularly at 5c; special Thursday and Friday only, per yd 2½c

Safety pins, nickle plated, fasten on either side, medium and large size; special Thursday and Friday, dozen 3½c

VEGETABLE ITEMS.

The Potato Crop.

California is not suffering from a small crop of potatoes. Our acreage, as reported, is rather larger than usual, and the condition of the crop, as reported to the Department of Agriculture a month ago, was 82, as compared with 83 at the same time in 1900, 84 in 1899, and 86 as the average of ten years. The crop is a little off, but the increased acreage should make that good. High prices in this State are caused by an increased demand for export, the average condition for the whole country at last reports being 54, as against 74.4 in 1900, 81.7 in 1899, and 78.4 as the average for ten years. The Orange Judd Farmer, from its own reports, estimates the commercial crop of the country at 167,000,000 bushels, as against 255,000,000 bushels in 1900. The Farmer credits California with a much larger crop than that of last year. The trouble with the potato crop is the long-continued drought in the Eastern States.—[Chronicle.

Our Celery Trade.

Among the minor industries which have grown up in this State during the last few years, perhaps none is more promising than the celery trade, which began on the peatlands along the Santa Ana River in Orange county, which is still by far the most important producing locality. It is stated that there are this year 2800 acres of these lands devoted to celery, and that this product to be shipped from Santa Ana alone will reach 1600 carloads. Considering the scarcity of all vegetables at the East, and the consequent high prices, it may be assumed that the Santa Ana peat bogs will this year be the most profitable land cultivated in California. The production of celery in this State is by no means confined to these peatlands, but thus far no other locality has been found so well suited to it. These lands are limited in extent, and are probably now nearly all occupied. They are peat bogs whose soil is so light that horses can be driven over them only by attaching broad iron pads to their fret to prevent them from sinking. Flowing wells are so easy to obtain that it is cheaper to sink a new well than to extend the troughs carrying the water more than two or three hundred feet. It is a wonderful tract of land, worthless for most purposes, and which lay wholly unused until found suited to celery. By that it is made profitable, and every foot of it will be brought under cultivation. But celery culture is not confined to the peatlands. It is spreading into other land in the vicinity, and is being tried in other parts of the State for eastern shipment.—[San Francisco Chronicle.

A Government Turtle Farm.

In these go-ahead days we are getting accustomed to municipal enterprise in almost every shape and form, but it is not generally known that among the various enterprises worked by the British government is that of turtle farming, carried on at Ascension Island. The island is especially suited for this purpose, as, despite its close proximity to the equator, the temperature is low and the atmosphere healthy on account of the prevailing southeasterly trade winds. January in each year sees the commencement of the turtle season, which does not, as a rule, last more than three months. All turtles caught at Ascension Island are the property of the crown, and are only sent to England and other places for disposal as directed by the admiralty, in whose hands the government of the whole island practically rests. The particular species which favors Ascension with its visits is the "Chelonia viridis," or green turtle. This, as may be supposed, is the turtle from whose green fat and portion of the fins that particular brand of soup is made which is proverbially associated with the banquets of London's civic dignitaries. It is wholly for its value as an edible commodity that the turtle farms are carried on, as the shell, unlike that of the tortoise, is of no commercial value.

To test the statement made about the turtles' habit of returning to the island year after year, one was once thrown overboard near Honolulu, with the date and location of the throwing cut on the back. Three years and two months afterward this turtle "turned up" at Ascension, having traveled over 15,000 miles. More recently still another was thrown overboard in the English Channel and was caught again at Ascension within six months.—[Royal Magazine.

The Disappearing Bonapartes.

The Bonapartes of Rome, as elsewhere, are slowly dying out. The male branch is already extinct, the last being Napoleon Charles, who died in 1899. This prince distinguished himself in the Franco-Prussian war, and, being taken prisoner, contracted the disease from which he died later, through the insanitary and damp prison in which he was confined. Emperor William I, hearing that there was a Prince Bonaparte among his captives, ordered him a commodious apartment and every comfort, which was accepted until the prince heard that his brother officers were to be left behind, when he resolutely refused everything and suffered the consequences until his death. He was buried in Corsica, his funeral being made the occasion of a great demonstration in favor of his family by the islanders.—[London Telegraph.

The World's Railroads.

A German periodical devoted to the railway interest gives some interesting statistics concerning the total railway tracks of the world. At present they cover about 480,000 miles, rather more than less. The United States of America must, of course, stand at the head of the list, with four times as great an extent as railroads as Europe; Germany comes next, then Russia, France and Austria-Hungary, British India, and the United Kingdom seventh. In the matter of proportion of railway system to area, however, Belgium comes first with 21,100, and the United Kingdom only fifth, with 11,100. Again, the correlation of railway mileage and population, Sweden is first with 21.4 kilometers to every 10,000 inhabitants. The two directions in which modern railway extension attracts most notice are obviously our own enterprise in Africa and that of Russia eastward into Asia. One of our latest ventures is the line that is to join Lagos and the Niger protectorate, and it already includes a dozen stations tapping populous districts. Lagos, by the way, stands on an island, so that the mainland terminus of our railroad has to be united with the settlement by means of a foot-bridge.—[St. James's Budget.

Chicago Woman Reformer to Raise Goats.

From the advocating of slum reform to the raising of Angora goats on a western ranch is a step which has just been taken by Mrs. Nancy B. Irving, one of the best known of Chicago reformers. At the Social Economics Club Mrs. Irving's retirement from the club was announced. Mrs. Irving's ranch is near Grand Junction, Colo., her 300 acres lie in the beautiful valley, and her two springs are the only water supply in the region.

During the past year or more Mrs. Irving has been one of the leaders of the club study, and her retirement leaves Mrs. Corinne Brown in charge.—[Chicago Chronicle.

Japanese Invitation to Commit Suicide.

Strassburg papers relate the following extraordinary invitation to suicide: A young Japanese had attended the lectures upon jurisprudence for several terms at the Strassburg University, and finally presented himself as a candidate for the doctor's degree. The professor, who did not consider the young man sufficiently prepared, tried vainly to dissuade him from prematurely attempting the examination. The Japanese was eventually plucked. The same day he packed his luggage and left Strassburg in high dudgeon for home. Some time after the professor received a letter from a youthful relative of the Japanese, informing him that the family of the late student were unable to support the humiliation that the professor had brought upon them, and that on a certain day, which he named they would put an end to their existence. They therefore called upon him to do them the satisfaction of committing suicide on the same day as themselves. Later information from Japan shows that the family kept their word, but the professor sees no reason why he should follow their example.—[London Telegraph.

Berlin to Levy a Tax on Cats.

The chairman of the Berlin Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals is trying to persuade the Berlin Town Council to levy a tax on cats. The municipality already imposes the sum of 20m (4.80,) per annum on a dog but hitherto cats have been exempt. Now the feline race is very scarce in Berlin, and people are in no wise disturbed by them. In some parts of the city, indeed, their presence is most necessary in order that the rats and the mice may not get the upper hand. This is especially the case in the numerous underground "cellar" dwellings and in the garret apartment inhabited by the poorest of the population. Whereas it might be submitted that dogs in Berlin are chiefly in the possession of people who can, with self-denial, afford to pay 20m a year for keeping a canine companion, this is by no means the case in regard to cats, which are almost all kept by the poor. A petition has been handed in to the Town Council bearing that the tax may not be levied.—[Unidentified.

Ethel: Bobbie, why do they call Brother Ned a halfback?

Bobbie: 'Cause w'en he goes onto the field to play a game o' football only half o' him is likely to come back.—[Chicago News.

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THE WEATHER.

COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.*

	Max.	Min.	Mean.		Max.	Min.	Mean.
Boston	50	40	45	New York	58	42	50
Washington	62	40	51	Buffalo	52	36	44
Pittsburgh	74	50	62	Cincinnati	78	50	64
Chicago	78	60	69	St. Paul	74	66	70
St. Louis	82	58	70	Kansas City	82	58	70
Los Angeles	70	50	60	Jacksonville	72	64	68

*The maximum is for October 29; the minimum for October 30. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Report and Forecast.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Oct. 30.—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecast Official.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.01; at 5 p.m., 29.90. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 52 deg. and 62 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 69 per cent.; 5 p.m., 74 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 8 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 5 miles. Maximum temperature, 70 deg.; minimum, 50 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Weather Conditions.—An area of high pressure extends from the North Pacific Coast to Arizona, accompanied by colder weather. There has been a marked change in temperature in the Southwest. It has fallen 12 to 14 deg. in Arizona, and freezing weather prevails in the mountain sections. Rain has fallen at Phoenix, and nearly six inches of snow is reported from Flagstaff. Rain is falling on the coast north of the Columbia River, and has fallen generally in the past twenty-four hours on the North Pacific Slope and along the British border. Fair, cool weather prevails in Southern California.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair tonight and Thursday; cool tonight.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 30.—Weather conditions and general forecast. San Francisco data: Maximum temperature, 65 deg.; minimum, 53 deg.; mean, 59 deg.

An area of high pressure overlies Utah, Nevada and Southern Idaho. Generally fair weather prevails over the greater portion of California. The temperature has risen slowly along the coast and the great valleys of California. Rain is falling from Astoria northward and eastward to the Rocky Mountains.

Forecast:

For Northern California: Probably cloudy Thursday; continued warm; fresh northeast winds.

Southern California: Probably fair Thursday; light northeast winds.

San Francisco and vicinity: Partly cloudy Thursday; light southeast winds.

Sacramento and vicinity: Fair Thursday; continued warm; light south winds.

RECORD OF OBSERVATIONS, 5 P.M.

Stations—	Max. Temp.	State of weather.
Asteria	58	Cloudy
Baker City	44	Cloudy
Carson City	62	Cloudy
Eureka	58	Clear
Fresno	66	Clear
Flagstaff	52	Clear
Focatello	48	Part cloudy
Independence	70	Clear
Los Angeles	70	Clear
Phoenix	64	Clear
Portland	58	Cloudy
Red Bluff	74	Clear
Roseburg	58	Cloudy
Sacramento	66	Clear
Salt Lake City	52	Cloudy
San Francisco	64	Part cloudy
San Luis Obispo	70	Clear
San Diego	66	Clear
Seattle	58	Cloudy
Spokane	48	Rain
Neah Bay	58	Cloudy
Walla Walla	52	Cloudy
Winnemucca	52	Cloudy
Yuma	74	Clear

TEMPERATURES AT 7 A.M. YESTERDAY.

New York	52	Chicago	60
Boston	46	Minneapolis	56
Philadelphia	48	Cincinnati	50
Washington	46	St. Louis	58

The Times' Weather Record.—Observations made at 1 p.m. and midnight, daily:

Oct. 30—	1 p.m.	Midnight.
Barometer	29.89	29.85
Thermometer	72	57
Humidity	70	77
Weather	Clear	Clear
Maximum temperature past 24 hours		73
Minimum temperature past 24 hours		45
Rainfall past 24 hours		00

Tide Table.—For San Pedro:

Thursday, Oct. 31.	High.	Low.
	0:23 a.m.	5:19 a.m.
	11:31 p.m.	6:24 p.m.

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MORE OF THE NEGRO PROBLEM.

The negro question has been brought prominently to the front, of late, through the action of the President in inviting to his dinner table a prominent representative of the race, which has caused numerous fits of apoplexy among some of the high-toned old-school southern gentlemen. Still more recently there has been a race conflict in Louisiana, which resulted in the death of a number of people.

The negro problem, with which American statesmen and social reformers have had to deal for half a century or more, is not by any means an easy one to solve. It was an evil day for the United States when the first shipload of negroes was brought into this country. Had that traffic never been engaged in, we should probably have been spared the great Civil War, and certainly we should have escaped many of the troubles that have afflicted the Southern States since that conflict was decided. In this connection it should be remembered that the North is fully as responsible as the South for the growth and development of the slave industry in this country. While most of the slaves were owned in the Southern States, the traffic was carried on almost entirely by northern people. The southerners, while willing to own slaves, looked down with something like contempt upon those who engaged in handling them.

It is difficult for those who have not resided in a section where the negroes are numerous, to comprehend the strong feeling that is evinced by white residents of the South on this question. In considering the subject in a calm and judicial manner, we should not forget that conditions are necessarily different in cities where the negroes form a majority of the population from what they are in northern cities, where the colored element is but a small percentage of the inhabitants. Undoubtedly, the ignorant class of blacks are frequently inclined to become arrogant and overbearing. After making all due allowance for this condition, however, it cannot be denied that the attitude of a great number of the southern whites toward the negro race is unreasonable, unjust and sometimes cruel.

Whatever we may think about the American negro, he is here, and in large numbers. He is strictly "a condition, not a theory." The question is how can his lot be ameliorated—how these constantly-recurring race feuds in the South can be avoided? Many plans have been suggested for this purpose by philanthropists and reformers, both black and white. Of late there has been a revival of the movement toward a return of the American negroes to the continent whence they came—to the black republic of Liberia. This effort at self-government on part of the negroes appears, from trustworthy reports, to have been measurably successful. Certainly, far more so than the misgovernment and bloody republic—so called—of Hayti. In Liberia the colored citizen finds himself as good as any other man, and feels that every position is open to him, while in this country, no matter how liberal some of our people may be on the race question, the element of color can never be entirely obliterated, and the possessor of a dark skin is not only handicapped in every branch of activity, above the most menial offices, but is frequently subjected to discourtesy and insult. Most of the colored preachers, who exercise much influence over their people, are said to be strongly opposed to the emigration of the negroes to Liberia. Whether this is because they fear to lose their flocks, and consequently their incomes, or because they really consider that such a step would not be to the advantage of the colored man, is not quite clear.

Another proposition that has been made is for the negroes to be scattered more widely over the United States, so that they might not anywhere form a majority of the population. This, however, would be beset with some difficulty, as the colored man does not, as a rule, flourish in a cold climate. Besides, migration cannot be made mandatory, except in the case of criminals, but all citizens must be left free to choose their habitat and environment.

Here in California there is little of that antipathy to the negro, except among some of the old-time southerners who have settled here. In fact, California may be regarded as the paradise of the colored man, both climatically and socially. The same is true of European countries, where the negro, being rare, is looked upon somewhat in the light of an oriental prince, is treated with great respect, and given the best of accommodations at public places. Recently all the London papers published articles on the objections made by American patrons of a leading London hotel to negro guests. The English sided with the negroes, while the Americans in London were almost unanimously outspoken against them.

As to the action of the President in inviting an intelligent and cultured man, with negro blood in his veins, to sit as a guest at his table, it is really absurd to see the amount of "tommy-rot" that has been belched forth on the subject by some of the fire-eating southern editors. The act was simply one of courtesy, paid by one distinguished gentleman to another, in which the question of the color of either one's skin did not enter. Further than this, it cannot be interpreted as having any particular significance. Our interesting southern brethren may rely upon it that the President, while showing personal courtesy to respectable and distinguished colored men, will strongly oppose anything that savors of illiterate or corrupt negro domination in the Southern States. He has, since his inauguration, expressed himself strongly to this effect. The best talent that is obtainable will be chosen to fill offices in the South. A bad man will not be chosen just because he happens to be a Republican and a colored man, nor will a good man be rejected just because he is a Democrat. In fact, the South will have a fair show to develop the best that is in her. The southerners, after they begin to cool off a little, will discover that the man they have been reviling is as good a friend as the Southern States have had in the White House since the Civil War.

Meanwhile, is it not about time that this absurd, illogical, unreasonable and unjust discrimination against a man because he happens to have a dark skin should be dropped? Such a sentiment might be explicable, and, to a certain extent excusable, in an old-fashioned empire, where class distinctions are strictly drawn, and where the population is homogeneous; but here, in this land of liberty and equality, with a population composed of people from every corner of the globe, with skins varying in color from that of the fair-haired Scandinavians to the coal-black negro, how preposterous it is to ostracise a man simply because his hide happens to be of a different color from ours. It would be about as reasonable to boycott a girl because she has red hair.

As to the fearful danger of miscegenation, regarding which the southern papers give vent to such terrible howls, we might suggest that some white women—even southern women—might do much worse than to have Booker Washington for a spouse. "If this is treason," why, then, let the Atlanta Constitution and the rest of the pack make the most of it.

Meantime, what have those southern gentlemen who have been accustomed to worship that famous Virginian, Thomas Jefferson, to say to the fact that he was also so indifferent to the rules of etiquette as observed in the South as to invite a saddle-colored man to dine with him at his home?

Telephone girls of Trenton, N. J., have been notified that dancing, eating ice cream and flirting, unsettle the operator's mind, and leave her in a condition unfit for work. Still, most of the girls seem to know how to say "Line is busy," without any hesitation.

If Capt. Lemly could have had his way about it, Admiral Schley would have had a corps of stenographers and typewriters on the deck of the Brooklyn, and dictated to them the entire battle in detail.

A Maryland minister has fallen into a sleep from which all efforts to awaken him have failed. His congregation tell his anxious wife that they "know just how he feels."

It is plainly evident from some of Capt. Lemly's questions that a course in naval technique is one thing he should have taken before the court of inquiry convened.

A New Jersey cow got drunk from eating too many apples, and her owner declares that she has since given eight quarts a day of the finest milk punch he ever tasted.

Admiral Sampon is not able to go on the stand and testify. Some of the officers who did go are now wishing they had been similarly handicapped.

James Whitcomb Riley has just issued a new book of poems, but of course its merits cannot be discussed until Prof. Triggs "passes" on it.

"Aladdin" Croker is rubbing the Tammany lamp like a good fellow in his efforts to make Candidate Shepard's brilliancy work magic.

FUTURE OF THE NEGRO.

A member of the editorial staff of the Chicago Record-Herald had an interview with Booker T. Washington some weeks before the Roosevelt dinner episode, which is causing so much of a commotion among some of the southern editors. In the course of the conversation Mr. Washington talked freely of his race, its aspirations, its duties, and its future. He declared that any one who has had daily opportunity of studying the negro race at first hand "cannot fail to gain the impression that the race is settling down to a hard, earnest, common-sense view of life; that it is fast learning that a race, like an individual, must pay for everything that it gets, the price of beginning at the bottom of the social scale and working up gradually, naturally, to the highest civilization. The exaggerated impressions that the first years of freedom naturally brought are giving way to an earnest, practical view of life and its responsibilities."

Discussing, further, the feeling that ought to exist between the races, and the future of the negro, Mr. Washington gave utterance to the following noble sentiments:

"I want to try to teach the negro youth to take a high and impregnable position. Let us teach him in his sympathies, his actions, to excel if possible even the white man. Let us teach him to dwell away above race hatred and race antagonism. Let us teach him that love is better than hatred, that mercy is better than cruelty, that it is more courageous to receive an insult and endure wrong than to give an insult and inflict a wrong; that if anyone would help push him down he can help push them up. Let us teach the negro youth that any individual or race that cherishes race hatred and practices cruelty is crushing and narrowing the highest aspirations of the human soul.

"Some may call this cowardice. Be it so, but it is the kind of cowardice that the Christ taught and practiced, and is the kind of cowardice that will win our cause.

"What, then, do we glean as to our immediate duty, and what is the safe and wise policy for the future? There can be but one answer. On, on, right on, with the work of education—education of the head, hand and heart, in every corner of the South.

"My race needs the help and sympathy of the American people now as never before. I hope and believe the black man will not look to the white man in vain."

Contrast these exalted sentiments with the narrow, childish comments of many of the southern newspapers—and some southern clergymen, even—upon the White House dinner incident, an event of so trivial importance and so utterly destitute of significance that it ought never to have been given a second thought.

The noble, manly and Christian words of Mr. Washington, above quoted, are a complete and sufficient answer to his ungracious critics, and to those who are so ill bred as to sneer at him and belittle his splendid achievements—for what? Because nature, in the distribution of those particles that determine the color of the outer skin, gave to him an excess of dark particles or pigments. His generous and courageous sentiments should serve to silence the shameful attacks that have been made, both upon Mr. Washington and upon the President of the United States, because of a simple act of courtesy extended by the latter to the former.

The question will arise—and it cannot be forced down—which is the truer gentleman, Booker T. Washington, who gives utterance to such noble sentiments as those above quoted, or the overwrought southern editor who makes a swaggering and brutal attack upon Mr. Washington and his race because they are "niggers?" Can any sensible, unprejudiced, fair-minded man find more than one candid answer to this question?

THE QUESTION OF FRANCHISES.

It is stated that the new gas companies which propose to locate their works just outside the city limits on the south will not ask for any franchises from the city, but will enter the city streets at their pleasure, lay mains, erect wires, and supply the public with both gas and electricity, without asking from the City Council the privilege of so doing. The claim that gas and electric companies have full rights to enter upon this line of procedure is based upon Article XI, section 19, of the Constitution of California (the said section being an amendment adopted on November 8, 1892, which reads as follows:)

"Section 19. In any city where there are no public works owned and controlled by the municipality for supplying the same with water or artificial light, any individual, or any company duly incorporated for such purpose under and by authority of the laws of this State, shall, under the direction of the Superintendent of Streets, or other officer in control thereof, and under such general regulations as the municipality may prescribe for damages and indemnity for the privilege of using the public streets and thoroughfares thereof, and of laying down pipes and conduits therein, and connections therewith, so far as may be necessary for introducing into and supplying such city and its inhabitants either with gas light or other illuminating light, or with fresh water for domestic and all other purposes, upon the condition that the municipal government shall have the right to regulate the charges thereof."

It seems clear from the above that gas and electric companies have the right to enter upon and occupy the city streets without first obtaining permission from the City Council, provided the municipality owns no public works for supplying such service. It is unfortunate that to the City Council was not reserved the right to exact some compensation for this valuable privilege, or to withhold the privilege in the absence of adequate compensation. There is no apparent reason why companies for furnishing artificial light and "fresh water" should have been singled out for the great favor of free franchises, while street railway and other corporations are required to make bids for franchises and to pay the amounts bid when their bids are accepted. When the public thoroughfares—which belong to the people and are maintained by the people for the use of the people—are given up to private corporations, to be used by such corporations for private gain, the people ought certainly to receive some compensation for their concession of rights and privileges so valuable. This compensation should be either in the form of a stated sum, or bonus, for the privileges and rights asked, or in the form of a yearly percentage on gross receipts. The principle recognized in the section of the Constitution above quoted can therefore not be regarded otherwise than as unwise and vicious.

There is a question as to whether the right granted by the Constitution, as above noted, carries with it the right to furnish gas and electricity for any other purpose than that of illumination. Certainly it does not if the constitutional provision is to be construed literally. It is a question, however, for the courts to decide—and they will probably have an opportunity to decide it in due course of time.

Competition in the supplying of public utilities is a good thing for the public, and there should be no disposition on the part of the Council or the Board of Public Works to favor one corporation more than another, so long as the law is obeyed. All should be treated alike so long as it appears that they are acting in good faith. But the Constitution expressly reserves to the municipal government the right to direct and supervise the work performed in the streets, to prescribe general regulations "for damages and indemnity for damages," and to regulate the charges made to the consumer. These powers the municipal government should rigidly insist upon exercising. Especially should there be the closest supervision over the work of tearing up the streets and of restoring them to as good condition as before, in the laying of mains and the making of connections to the same. This close supervision should be exercised, not over the work of one company alone, but over the work of all.

There has been too much of careless work, in the past, in the tearing up of graded or paved streets, and neglecting to restore them to as good condition as before. All over the city the streets are in wretched condition from improper restoration after the laying of mains or the making of water and gas connections. In every case where connection is made with a street main the earth should be rammed, in filling up the excavation. Throwing it back loosely will not make the street as good as before; neither will the flooding of the excavation with water suffice. The earth must be thoroughly hammered into place, and the city ordinances should require, specifically, that the work be performed in that manner. Our streets, in every part of the city, are in a disgraceful condition because of the slovenly work that has been done in this respect. Some of our finest graded thoroughfares are in places little better than a corduroy road because of this neglect to restore them properly after the making of connections with street mains.

No more such slovenly work should be permitted in our streets, and as fast as possible the damage already done should be repaired by the city, if it be not feasible or possible to compel those who have performed the work improperly to perform it over again in a proper manner. Even though the Council may have been shorn by the State Constitution of its right to control the use of the public streets, to that body still belongs the right of regulating the use of the same, and this restricted right should be exercised to the fullest extent consistent with the public welfare.

Sir Thomas Lipton says the Shamrock II is not for sale. It having sailed once, the New York Yacht Club is also of the same opinion.

Admiral Schley is not to blame because Capt. Lemly wasn't on hand to show him how to fight the battle of Santiago properly.

Missionary Stone is now reported to be in a Macedonian harem, where she can make good use of her eyes, notebook and things.

The slot machines in Chicago are being robbed by burglars. They probably consider that one good turn deserves another.

The camera trust has "developed." Picture the inevitable result when the smaller concerns begin to get "light-struck."

The report of the Schley court of inquiry already contains over a million and a half words—mostly unnecessary.

Bourke Cochran took a tumble while riding in New York, but unfortunately Tammany didn't go down with him.

After it is all over Judge-Advocate Lemly might get out a magazine article on "Mild Admirals I Have Known."

Malvar, the Filipino insurgent leader, has issued a proclamation to the effect that he is the entire bakery.

Being unable to raise the cup in America, Sir Thomas Lipton proposes to raise garden truck.

Czolgosz knocked into a cocked hat the theory that no man can tell when he is going to die.

The naval clique are daily being made aware of the fact that they have been Schleyted.

Emperor William appears to have contracted a severe form of Carrie-Nationitis.

The famous Depew after-dinner speech will soon be a family affair.

Gen. Alger is not a success on the literary turf as a bookmaker.

The Low tide in New York is away above the boundary mark.

The Hay-Pauncefote treaty has hatched a promising egg.

A SOUTHERN PRECEDENT.

President Jefferson Entertained a Noted Negro at Dinner at the Executive Mansion.

(From the Washington Star.)

"To the Editor: If the Booker Washington episode is not a closed incident I beg to call your attention to an incident in the early history of our country which President Roosevelt's Southern critics have forgotten or overlooked, and that is that the author of the immortal Declaration of Independence, during his Presidency, invited Benjamin Banneker, the noted negro mathematician, astronomer and linguist, to dine with him at the executive mansion, which he did. President Jefferson also invited Banneker to visit him at his home, Monticello, but the aged negro was too feeble to travel and died the following year, 1804 (6.) Banneker was well known and respected by the first families of Virginia. W. A. L."

Benjamin Banneker was one of the most noted negroes of the eighteenth century. He was born at Ellicott's, Md., in 1731. His grandmother was an Englishwoman, who bought two negro slaves upon their arrival in a slave ship, liberated them and married one of them. Banneker's mother, being thus of half blood, married an African herself, thus that Benjamin Banneker was three-fourths negro. He was given an excellent education, his instruction being in charge of his grandmother in his early years. He showed great aptitude for study and interest in books, to which he devoted all the leisure he could obtain from his farm labors. His father, at his death, left Benjamin the farm and he cultivated it successfully. He was specially devoted to mathematics, among other branches of study, and possessed also a natural mechanical ability, particularly in the construction of a wooden clock, which was long an object of wonder in the locality. In 1773 Ellicot & Co. built their mills in the deep valley, later crossed by the railroad betwen this city and Baltimore, and at the suggestion of George Ellicott, who had noticed his mathematical talent, Banneker began to make astronomical calculations for almanacs. In the spring of 1789 he accurately calculated for an eclipse. He sold his farm for an annuity and devoted himself to his studies. In 1790 he assisted in surveying the lines of the District of Columbia. He began to publish an almanac in 1792, and it is recorded in the biographical sketches that it was highly praised by Thomas Jefferson, then Secretary of State. This almanac was sent to Paris to the Academy of Sciences and was much admired for its accuracy, so that the "African astronomer" soon obtained a European reputation. He continued the publication of the almanac, copies of which he sold in Maryland, until his death in Baltimore, in 1806.

THE ARIZONA MINING NUMBER.

"An Achievement."

The Arizona Number of The Los Angeles Times was a worthy achievement of a most enterprising newspaper.—[Nordhoff Ojai.

"New Ideas."

The Los Angeles Times has issued a special edition devoted to the mining interests of Arizona. The number is comprised of thirty-two well-printed pages, handsomely illustrated, and gives the reader some new ideas as to the importance of our neighbor on the southeast.—[San Andreas Prospect.

"It is First-class."

We are in receipt of the Arizona mining edition of The Los Angeles Times. Like everything attempted by The Times, it is first class in every particular, and will undoubtedly be of great benefit to the section described and illustrated. It contains many valuable articles on subjects other than mining, and must result in great good to every industry in the Territory.—[Santa Cruz Record.

"Most Complete."

The Arizona Mining Number of The Los Angeles Times was one of the most complete expositions of Arizona's mineral wealth that we have seen. Arizona will probably soon be a State, and her mineral wealth will make her one of the richest in the Union.—[Chino Champion.

"A Veritable Encyclopedia."

The Arizona mining edition of The Los Angeles Times, issued on Thursday, October 17, is a magnificent edition crowded full of interesting facts and figures relative to the mining industry as it is today in the southwestern portion of the United States, but more particularly with the rapidly-developing Territory of Arizona. The number is a veritable encyclopedia on this subject, and can very profitably be preserved for reference.—[Covina Argus.

"Mammoth and Interesting."

The Los Angeles Times Arizona Mining Number has been issued and is a mammoth and interesting production. The Clifton and Morenci mining districts received ample attention, while the live-stock section is graced with a fine portrait of Col. H. C. Hooker, and several scenes from his ranch. The Willcox schoolhouse is also shown. The Bisbee and Globe mining districts are given long and flattering write-ups.—[Solomonville (Ariz.) Bulletin. [Not published as "write-ups" or intended to be "flattering," but designed as a plain, unvarnished tale; not paid for by the line or the column, or at all in the sense sought to be conveyed by some of the sawed-off and unhappy "gernals" of the luckless newspaper belt.—Ed. Times.]

"One of the Handsomest."

The Arizona Mining Number of The Los Angeles Daily Times of last week, is one of the handsomest and most complete editions yet gotten out by that enterprising firm, and one that ought to do much for Arizona. The edition is full of interesting, descriptive reading, and the illustrations true pictures and well executed. The firm have artists of some note, and men that thoroughly understand their business.—[Compton Enterprise.

"Deals Extensively."

The Los Angeles Times issued a special Arizona Mining Number on the 17th that is one of the most pleasing special editions that have been given to the public for many days. It contains seventy-eight illustrations, and deals extensively with all the conditions in the Territory, both in mining, educational and agricultural conditions, devoting considerable space to the absorbing question of Statehood. There are several special articles by several of the Territory's prominent men, and also many photographs, among them an excellent one of Gov. Murphy.—[Albuquerque (N. M.) Democrat.

"Most Eloquent Argument."

The Arizona number of The Los Angeles Times gave a complete, comprehensive review of the various mining enterprises now being carried on in this Territory. It was a most commendable feat of journalistic enterprise, and reflects great credit upon the management of the paper. After careful perusal of the many pages devoted to the wonderful enterprise of Arizona, one is at a loss to understand why The Times should oppose Statehood for Arizona. The Arizona edition of The Times is a most eloquent argument for the admission of the Territory.—[Clifton (Ariz.) Copper Era.

A Specimen of New Mexican Fairness.

The expected Mining Number of The Los Angeles Times was printed last Friday. A little attention was paid to the stock and farming industry of the Territory, but the main feature was mining. It was the best presentation of the question that has ever been put in print. It not only showed what a vast industry was mining, but also indicated there were enormous opportunities left yet in the Territory for investors who would like to make more money this way. Although it was called an Arizona edition it devoted a couple of pages to the Greene properties in Mexico and considerable space to Lordsburg and vicinity, but both of these are so near the line they can be considered portions of Arizona, for mining purposes. The edition of The Times is bound to do a great deal of good. It was a very large edition, some 75,000 copies, and will be distributed all through the East, where people are looking for investments.—[Lordsburg (N. M.) Western Liberal.

[The general sentiment of the Arizona press toward this notable enterprise of The Times is favorable; but an occasional venomous Democratic and "Statehood-crazy" apple-butter sheet roars in a loud tone of voice, refusing to be saved, if the saving process is aided and abetted by this stalwart champion of the Great Southwest. —Ed.]

STATE SNAPSHOTS.

THE NIGHT OF HALLOWEEN.

Consider,
Now, the kidlet,
Who, on this auspicious
Night, will hustle out from
House to house and gobble all in
Sight.
'Tis on this
Festive Hallow
Een—this night of
Nights—that he is scoot-
Ing 'round the town to play
All
Kinds of
Devilry. Nail
Down your barns and
Houses tight, or on the coming
Morn,
You'll find
That something's
Missing, just as sure as
You are born. Your doormats
Will
Be absent,
And you'll find
It a fact, that pickets
On your fence will do the dis-
Appear-
Ing act; and
Put a padlock on
Your lawn; lock up
Your shade trees, too; don't
Leave
The bulldog
Loose, or else he'll
Also say adieu. Front
Steps you'll want to iron, sure;
Your
Concrete walk
Chain down, or else
They both will decorate another
Part of town. The shingles on your
Roof,
Of course,
You hope are
Out of sight, but if
You think that they are
Safe
On this
Confounded night,
Just let me tell you what's
A fact—you'd better screw 'em in,
For
When this
Little kidlet with
His mischief doth begin,
There's not a thing that he won't
Find,
And rip,
And tear, and
Smash, and for repairs
Around the place you'll spend
Your
Hard-earned
Cash. Oh! take
This little pointer home,
And paste it in your hat, or
When
You view
The aftermath,
You'll wonder where
You're at!

Were you ever a small boy who belonged to the above clique?

Are you being skinned by skimmed milk instead of the "pure Jersey" article?

San Dago has run dry on fruit jars, but has a good supply on hand of family jars.

No traces have been found of two Oakland youths who stole a harness a few days ago.

Los Angeles is to have extra winter mails. We could also stand a few extra winter females.

A belated schooner has just arrived at Santa Barbara. How on earth did the thirsty ones manage to hold out?

Fullerton has nothing but "full houses." They must be living in an age of four-flushing up in that neck of the forest.

San Dagans want their saloons to close on Sunday. What's the matter with having 'em closed all the rest of the week, as well?

Indio is to have a new paper, to be called "The Submarine." Here's hoping its dive into California journalism will prove a success!

A Philadelphia man paid $25 for holding a girl's hand. There are some girls around here who would pay $35 to get one finger on a good man.

Compton is wondering if the time will ever come when the streets of the town will be used by bicyclists and the walks by pedestrians.

The editors of the Hanford Journal and Hanford Sentinel are hurling bouquets of the cabbage variety at each other as to "who's who" in that town.

Monrovia street-car nags are about to graduate and allow the electric juice to yank people all about the avenues and boulevards of that enterprising burg.

An Oakland painter claimed to have been robbed of $45 by footpads. Later, he confessed that it was a case of too much poker; but, then, one game is fully as fair as the other.

Long Beach has so much spare cash in her jeans from the sale of street-railroad franchises that she don't hardly know whether to buy a fire engine or a carload of sewer pipe with the money.

'Brose Taylor of Rialto has solved the problem of cheap living. He can go twenty-three days without food, yet he says the sniff of b'iled 'taters and frying bacon are not to be sneezed at occasionally.

A Stockton man reduced his flesh twenty pounds in weight in seven days. That's nothing. A twenty-three-year-old Los Angeles youth recently lost 110 pounds in a single night. His girl went back on him.

Charley's Phonograph for Cold Feet. The long, cold winter nights will soon be here on both feet. To past the evenings pleasantly get one those phonographs of Charley Knight, the grocer.—[Redwood City Times-Gazette.

The Woman's Club of Kern City will make an attempt to erect a hall in that city in which to hold their meetings—[Visalia Times. What a circus it will be to see those Kern City females handle a saw and hammer or mix mortar.

Stockton had a phenomenon a few days ago in the shape of a shower of milk. A driver of a lacteal-fluid wagon tried to cross the car track ahead of an electric car, but the car made the milk-wagon chase go a b—k a—d s—t d—a.

The Equitable Gas Company, determined to "git thar" or burst its several lungs, has located on property adjoining the garbage crematory on the coursing park. Thus, the principle odoriefrous combinations of the two, like birds of a feather, are flocking together.

Among the notices in The Times "Liner" department a few days ago was the following: "WANTED—A carrier, also bicycle carrier. Times Office, subscription department." Here is the unique answer sent: "915 Manitou avenue, Los Angelis—Dear sir: I haf seen in the paper dot you want a man to ride a horse and one more to ride a wheel. I am not verry strong, but I cud carry a wheel. Wud I haf to carry it. Pleas let me no as soon as I can. Ole Peterson."

It was an awfully mean trick that a San José youth perpetrated on a religiously-inclined young chap in town. The funny youth borrowed the other's overcoat and returned it to him one evening as he was about to go up on the porch of his lady love's home, he had been seated in the parlor with the girl playfully went through the pockets of the overcoat and brought forth two flasks of whisky, a deck of cards and several dice. The girl's father was horror-struck, and told him to "guessed he'd go." The girl was dejected, and now there is a coldness between them.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Prefer to Walk.

By going over Niagara Falls in a barrel a person gets from one side to another in a hurry, but he doesn't have plenty of time to walk.—[Chicago News.

One Sort of Commercialism.

Another of those "barbarous" American girls is likely to become a duchess. The "American Press" is confined exclusively to commercialism of the ordinary sort.—[Chicago Times.

The Greater Peril.

It is really getting to be a habit for one of who displays the shoot of the face of danger and death as a soldier, who volunteers for a forlorn hope or the young man with a record joins his college football team, to become more American.

Not a Solution.

The London Spectator suggests that the race question in the United States be settled as it is in India, by castes for whites and blacks resolving themselves into castes. This method, under whatever name, has prevailed largely in the South, but the question is far from having a satisfactory settlement now than ever was.—[Omaha Bee.

Time for a Forward Step.

It is high time that the people of the whole country should make it known to the world that they will not stand for or tracize or in any way attempt to oppress a genuine man merely because he has more or less African blood in his veins. We are about ready for white people on the footstool who have not already made that fact clear.—[Chicago Chronicle.

Absolution in Advance.

Senator Tillman has at last broken the silence to say that "the action of President Roosevelt in entertaining a nigger (meaning Booker T. Washington) will necessitate our killing a thousand niggers in the South before they will learn their place." It will be observed that the Senator has written as Craigoza. Its appears in advance an excuse for the personal character of any white man who murders or participates in a lynching.—[Omnibus Dispatch.

Tammany's Rivals.

Tammany should not sneer at the other brigands in the Balkans. Croker is as good as they have in the whole Stone. There the tyrant Stambuloff, of presenting to the Senate of the United States as a memorial, one of the resolutions. In view of the character of the Newman Club and the cause which it represents, this was clever enough to pretend to be grieving for the release of the tyrant and the punishment of his murderers. They loudly denounce the Stambuloff while profiting by the system that can be played loose with Tammany plan of insincere public opinion.—[New York Press Express.

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...feature of the regular monthly ...ing of the Newman Club at Levy's ...last evening, was the reading of ...paper on the life and works of ...Junipero Serra, by J. E. Han-...

...ding of the noble edifices, the ...missions, which Father ...mused, Mr. Hannon said: ...are now in ruins and others ...will be, unless the people of Cali-...fornia awake to their responsibilities; ...and with a spark of exalted emo-...tion or appreciation of the sad ...history of departed glory, can stand ...amid the silent walls and contem-...plate the ruthless efforts of that de-...structive band, who with the feeble aid ...of sacrilege brought ever by them-...selves these monuments to ...their zeal or enthusiasm for the glory ...of God and His holy religion, and not ...one soul his soul a nobler con-...ception of the heroic services which ...were the work in behalf of the ignorant ...savage people.

...He spoke detailed at some length ...Father Serra's work, showing how he ...labored among and with the Indians, ...teaching them by his example, and ...leading them to become a thrifty and ...industrious people. "He was one of ...those who believe that example ...is better than precept," said the ...speaker, and while he was more than ...sure that these benighted people ...must be gathered into the Christian ...fold as speedily as possible, his zeal ...was not short of hastening their re-...ception in the bosom of their God by the ...process of starvation." [Applause.] ...The paper concluded with an ac-...count of the touching scenes surround-...ing the death of California's apostle, ...which occurred at San Carlos, near ...Monterey, August 28, 1784, and with a ...plea that the people of California do ...nothing to mark the place of his ...burial and preserve from further de-...cay the well-nigh ruined monument.

...At the conclusion of the reading of ...Mr. Hanlon's interesting paper, Presi-...dent Hannon called upon Bishop Mont-...gomery, who was the guest of the ...club, for a few remarks. The bishop ...responded in his usual happy vein, ...stating that Father Junipero Serra ...was but one of many noble men who ...were pioneers in carrying the gos-...pel to the remote places of the earth. ...He paid a warm tribute to the men ...who sacrificed their comfort and ...life that the borders of Christen-...dom might be enlarged.

...A general discussion of Mr. Hanlon's ...paper, in which many members of the ...club participated, then ensued.

...Previous to the regular discussion of ...the evening a letter was read from ...Hon. S. Cortelyou, secretary to the ...President, thanking the club for its ...message of loyalty and sympathy.

SENATOR BARD.

...A letter from Senator Thomas R. ...Bard was read and received with a ...round of applause. The Senator wrote, ...under date of the 5th inst.:

...I acknowledge receipt of your val-...ued favor of the 5th inst., and the copy ...of the resolutions adopted by the New-...man Club expressing its sentiments re-...garding the death of President McKin-...ley, and requesting me to aid in the ...passage of such legislative enactments ...as will restrict the opportunities of ...anarchists as Czolgosz. Its ap-...preciation of the personal character of ...our lamented President, and of his ...bearing while occupying the ...exalted station in our govern-...ment, and its detestation of the crime ...which cost his death, and its sym-...pathy with Mrs. McKinley, are ex-...cellent and admirable, that I am ...about to ask that I may have the ...privilege of presenting to the Senate of ...the United States as a memorial, a ...copy of the resolutions. In view of the ...character of the Newman Club, ...the cause which it represents, this ...is a fitting tribute to the memory of ...President McKinley should have an ...honored record, and I am sure that ...the people of the country would be ...pleased to have it made a part of the ...public records.

...I beg to assure the club that I will ...earnestly support measures that may ...be proposed in Congress, and which ...may be most effective for the protec-...tion of the persons of our Presidents ...and other officers of the government in ...the discharge of the duties of the Presidency, ...as far as possible for the prevention, as far as pos-...sible, of the dissemination of an-...archistic literature and teachings ...subversive of our people."

...Letters from Senator Perkins and ...Congressman McLachlan, acknowledg-...ing receipt of the resolutions and in-...closing the same, were also read.

...The club took the stand that some ...legislation is needed to curb the an-...archistic tendencies in certain quarters ...and these letters are an acknowledg-...ment of the indorsement of that posi-...tion.

...ORS AND THE SHOW.

...Angeles Chamber of Commerce ...Is Doing Much Good Work at ...Pan-American.

...best exhibits California or the ...love of the Buffalo Exposition ...Wiggins and his estimable ...wife may not be fair to look ...at, but for energy, industry and an ...ability to do good work for the section ...he is a wonder, and ...should capture first prize if ...there were offered for such qualities."

...Dr. W. W. Beckett, who ...returned from an extended tour ...East. The purpose of his trip ...was not so much to visit the exposi-...tion as to inspect the hospitals of the ...country, but he is more enthusi-...astic over Wiggins exhibit at Buf-...falo than about anything else he saw ...there.

...Wiggins is certainly a wonder, ...and is doing great work for this ...section of country. I heard people ...say that we had many more like ...him. He and his wife have ...already filled the big register with ...names, and on a second big ...book have the names of 90,000 ...people. This will give some idea ...of what they are doing, and it should ...be a matter that not one visitor in ...Los Angeles."

...ROUT BOYCOTT BRITAIN.

...YORK, Oct. 30.—The Brussels ...correspondent of the London Times ...at New York says the scheme ...of British commerce has failed ...utterly, so far as Belgium is ...concerned. The leading stevedores of ...Antwerp unanimously decided to ...accept the appeal of the Amsterdam ...

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WOMEN'S CLUBS.

Ruskin Art Club.

Under the leadership of Miss Bertha Judson the Ruskin Art Club yesterday discussed some phases of recent art. Mrs. N. P. Conrey treated the subject of painting at the Buffalo Exposition. Mrs. I. B. Huber spoke on "Literary Pictures." Mrs. W. H. Housh discussed the place of technique in modern painting, and Miss Judson the kindred topic of impressionism. Reports of recent art literature were given by Mrs. W. T. McFie. A subject of special interest was that of modern mosaics, handled by Mrs. A. S. C. Forbes, who exhibited, in illustration of her remarks, specimens from her own collection of mosaics. There were Florentine and Roman mosaics, Venetian mosaics in glass, with bits from the Cathedral of St. Mark, wood mosaics from Tunbridge Wells, Eng., and a beautiful inlaid box of East Indian mosaics in ivory, sandal wood and silver.

Long Beach Ebell.

The current events section of the Long Beach Ebell met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. F. A. Johnson, who acted in the absence of the curator, Mrs. R. H. Tripp. The Ebell will meet next Monday with Mrs. Reeve at the Colonial, when the session will be a Victorian afternoon. Mrs. Jane Harnett will be the principal speaker.

Monrovia Club.

There was a large attendance of the members of the Monrovia Saturday Afternoon Club at the last meeting. Mrs. Margaret Rice of Los Angeles gave her second lesson, on the play of "Henry VIII," in the Shakespeare course.

Acts III and IV were the subjects for the afternoon, and papers on the leading characters in the play were assigned to different ladies for the next lesson. Quotations from the play were given in answer to roll call.

The secretary was instructed to send a letter of sympathy to Mrs. William F. Marshall on the death of her brother, Hugh Gibson of Los Angeles; also one of congratulation to Miss Harriett Hutchins on her recovery from a very dangerous illness. Both ladies are prominent members of the club.

Covina Club.

The monthly social afternoon of the Covina Monday Afternoon Club, at the residence of Mrs. C. E. Bemis, attracted a large gathering of the members of the club. Mrs. Bemis was assisted in receiving by Mmes. J. D. Reed, C. W. Potter, F. M. Douglass and J. J. Morgan. The spacious reception hall and parlors of this beautiful home were tastefully decorated with greenery of various sorts, roses and a profusion of chrysanthemums. Tea and cake were served. During the afternoon a short programme was rendered, consisting of "Current Topics" by Mrs. E. G. Clapp, and a paper entitled, "Life of Helen Hunt Jackson," prepared and read by Mrs. Cilly.

NOVEMBER WEATHER.

What Los Angeles Weather Bureau Records Show it to Have Been in the Past.

Observer Franklin of the local branch of the United States Weather Bureau has prepared a comparative statement showing the weather conditions which have prevailed during the month of November during the period of twenty-four years covered by the records in his office. The mean or normal average temperature for the month during that time was 60 deg., the warmest month being in 1906, when the average was 66 deg., and the coldest in 1880, with an average of 56 deg. The highest temperature ever recorded here during November was 96 deg. on November 3, 1890. The coldest day was November 19, 1896, when a minimum of 34 deg. was recorded.

The average precipitation for the month is 1.38 inches. The greatest variation from this average was during the big rainstorm last year, when 6.53 inches fell during the month, and 3.79 inches within twenty-four hours. During the years 1883, 1891 and 1894 there was no rainfall in November. The prevailing winds have been from the west. The highest velocity was November 9, 1881, when the wind blew at the rate of forty-three miles an hour from the northeast.

GERMAN AMBASSADOR.

BERLIN, Oct. 30.—Dr. Von Holleben, the German Ambassador to the United States, arrived here today on his way to America. He is wonderfully refreshed, in excellent spirits, and glad to return to Washington. He says President Roosevelt will undoubtedly do everything possible to maintain friendly relations with Germany.

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THE PUBLIC SERVICE—OFFICIAL DOINGS.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

Estimates of the probable cost of building new bridges across the river at Aliso, Macy and Fourth streets, and over the Arroyo Seco at Pasadena avenue, have been prepared by the City Engineer.

Yesterday the water was turned into the Zanja Madre flume for the first time.

C. Mugnemi was sentenced to two years in San Quentin yesterday for extortion.

Judge Smith intimated yesterday that he is inclined to dismiss the case against Dr. Woodworth, charged with stealing a $28,000 deed in Long Beach last September.

It is reported that R. D. Trask, accused of attempting to kill his ex-wife on the Fourth of July, wants to plead guilty to simple assault and take a County Jail sentence.

The case against Juan Y. Carmona, the alleged boy robber, was dismissed yesterday by Justice James.

Mrs. John King of telephone-pole-hole fame has begun a $10,000 damage suit.

Judge Shaw has announced that wealthy Mrs. De Dassud, who owns valuable property on North Spring street, must have a guardian.

The County Auditor is sure of the prosperity of the section on account of the rush to pay delinquent taxes and redeem property.

Judge Allen has enjoined the scalpers from doing business in Episcopal convention tickets.

E. W. Walker, one of the negroes charged with the murder of Norman Campbell, took the stand in his own behalf in the Police Court yesterday.

Charles Orrin, aged 16, came up in the Police Court yesterday, charged with carrying concealed weapons. He got a floater and the court helped him to get a job.

AT THE CITY HALL.

BUILDING BRIDGES UNDER CONSIDERATION.

CITY ENGINEER MAKES ESTIMATES OF THE COST.

Steel Structures Favored at Aliso Street and at Fourth Street—Other Bridges of Wood and Iron—Zanja Madre Flume Completed.

Just now the City Engineer's staff is busy preparing estimates for four new bridges. The structures that span the river have become worn and in some cases dangerous to traffic. In accordance with a resolution presented by Councilman Blanchard, who represents a ballwick across the river, the Council is considering the advisability of replacing the wooden bridges with new ones of wood and iron or of steel.

The City Engineer has been asked to report on the need for the immediate construction of these new bridges. Deputy Walbrecht is at work on preliminary estimates of the cost to be incurred should the Council decide to proceed with the work of construction.

If a new bridge is built at Aliso street, it is believed that it should be of steel. Very heavy traffic crosses the river at this point. Several lumber yards are located on the east side, and the big wagons cross and recross many times a day.

When the Salt Lake Railroad is completed the freight depot will be located on the east side of the river just south of Aliso street. Most of the freight will reach the business center across the Aliso-street bridge. With this prospect of heavy traffic, the City Engineer believes that a modern steel bridge should be built at Aliso street.

It would cost about $24,000 to build a steel structure, and replace the present bridge. This estimate contemplates a roadway twenty-eight feet wide and a footpath eight feet wide. If the bridge was built of a combination of wood and iron, the cost would be approximately $11,000.

At Macy street a new combination bridge would probably answer all purposes. With a twenty-foot roadway and a six-foot path for pedestrians, the bridge would cost about $8500.

To replace the Pasadena-avenue bridge across the Arroyo Seco with a combination structure of the same dimensions as the Macy-street bridge would cost about $7500.

It is the proposed bridge across the river at Fourth street that is giving the officials the most concern. If a steel bridge were built parallel with the Traction Company's viaduct and of about the same length, the bridge would cost in excess of $100,000. This structure would be 1900 feet long, and would lack several hundred feet of reaching the bluff on the east side, which is regarded as essential.

Besides the heavy cost that would be incurred, another difficulty has been encountered. There are no streets that reach this end of the bridge, and it would be necessary for the city to condemn sufficient property to allow of ready access. This would occasion additional expense. A petition has been in circulation asking the City Council to take immediate steps to construct a bridge at the point, but in the face of so many difficulties it is not probable that action will be taken at the present time.

WATER IN ZANJA MADRE.

Yesterday the water from the river was turned into the Zanja Madre flume that has recently been constructed by the Southern Pacific Company on the face of the rip-rap that walls in the river on the west side above the Buena Vista-street bridge. When the former Council was in office, the company purchased from the city for $5000 a strip of land comprising about five acres between the Elysian Park bluff and the river. To reclaim this land the company has just completed a rip-rap that cost over $50,000. It will be necessary to fill the land between the rip-rap and the bluff to a depth of several feet before it will be available for switch tracks and machine shops.

After considerable debate the company agreed to anchor the Zanja Madre flume to the face of the rip-rap for a distance of 1700 feet. The flume is of redwood, 4x3 feet, and is anchored on redwood piling laid in the solid rock. Opposite the Arroyo Seco, where the water strikes the river at a wide angle with great force, the flume has been entirely covered for several hundred feet with rock. Unless the river carries away the rip-rap this part of the flume is destined to last its natural lifetime.

According to the City Engineer the flume will stand any ordinary high water. The change is regarded as an improvement that will increase the efficiency of the city's Zanja service.

Open for Traffic.

After today the Buena Vista-street bridge will be open for traffic. Last Wednesday the bridge was closed for the purpose of replacing the flooring. The work will be completed today, and the bridge thrown open. Some of the timbers were found in very bad condition. Where the Southern Pacific Company's engines had stood beneath the bridge, the smoke from the funnels affected the wood to a remarkable extent.

Work for Rescue League.

If the Animal Rescue League of Los Angeles will kindly step forward, Mayor Snyder will be glad to present the executive head with two stray kittens. E. M. Mason of No. 1986 Park Grove avenue has written to the Rescue League as follows:

"Two stray cats have come to us here which we cannot keep. Will you kindly send for them?"

The authorities at the postoffice were troubled. They had never heard of the rescue league. Finally some one suggested that the Mayor was a whole rescue league in himself. That is how the Chief Executive of the city came to ponder over the communication yesterday.

If any citizen comes upon the Mayor with a cat under each arm and a pocketful of kittens, they will henceforth immediately recognize the Animal Rescue League of Los Angeles.

Construction Work Begun.

Owing to the difficulty of securing steel rails, but little work has been done toward building the Jefferson-street car line. Enough has been done, however, to comply with the provisions of the Broughton law, and with the arrival of rails that are now en route, the work will be prosecuted in earnest. Citizens living along Jefferson street have become impatient at the delay and many inquiries have been made. Failure to secure the necessary ties is responsible for the delay in building the West Adams-street line, but that difficulty will soon be overcome. Both franchises were bought in the name of C. A. Sumner, but the Traction Company will build the lines.

Tejunga Tenants.

Former owners of the land in the Tejunga wash that the city purchased for $30,000 through the agency of Señor José Antonio Lopes are anxious to discover what the city intends to do with the land. Several of the ranchers came to the City Hall yesterday to ascertain, if possible, whether the city will lease the property. Some months ago the matter was referred to the Land Committee, of which Todd is chairman. The committee made a trip of inspection to the Tejunga, but nothing ever came of it. Last Monday the committee was instructed to report at the next Council session, but yesterday Todd said he does not know when the committee will be able to decide what is best to be done. Walker of the committee has been ill, and Blanchard is in the East. Todd says he does not wish to take the responsibility upon his own shoulders.

Lighting Contract Held.

No report was made by the Gas and Light Committee at the last session of the Council on the bid of the Los Angeles Lighting Company to light the city streets for one year. About half of the members of the municipal legislature are much mystified at the action of the committee. Chairman McLain states, however, that it is desired to secure from the company an agreement to furnish an improved make of lamp, and that as soon as an agreement is reached the committee will report.

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

MUGNEMI GETS TWO YEARS IN SAN QUENTIN.

SENTENCE WOULD HAVE BEEN HEAVIER BUT FOR FAMILY.

Woodworth in Good Way to Escape Prosecution for Stealing Twenty-nine-thousand-dollar Deed—Fighting Brother Jailed—Trask to Plead Guilty.

C. Mugnemi, whose every-day name in the Latin quarter is "Dago Joe," was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary at San Quentin yesterday for extortion.

It was the work of the grand jury that instituted the prosecution against Mugnemi, who, as a deputy constable, extorted $15 last February from Jerry Egan, a cigar dealer, on the threat of charging him with selling lottery tickets. Egan was caught in the act, according to the testimony, but was released by handing the officer $15. Mugnemi was given two trials—the first one resulting in a "hung" jury. After conviction, he moved for a new trial, but Judge Smith could find nothing in the records to warrant one, and the convicted defendant was ordered to stand up for sentence.

His wife and a plump young daughter, almost of age were in tears.

"Any reason to give, Mr. Mugnemi, why sentence should not be passed?" asked the court.

"Nothing to say," said the prisoner doggedly.

Then Deputy District-Attorney Jones, who prosecuted him, recommended mercy on account of the family.

"Yes," remarked Judge Smith, "this is a sad case on account of family relations, and, again, Mr. Mugnemi has had the reputation of being a good citizen in our community. But extorting money is a bad offense, and after a fair trial, he has been convicted and must stand the consequences of his own misdoing."

Then sentence was passed, and mother and daughter left the courtroom weeping as if their hearts would break.

WOODWORTH IN LUCK.

"I am inclined to sustain defendant's demurrer at this time, but will look into the proposition more carefully," said Judge Smith yesterday morning, after listening to the answering arguments of Deputy District-Attorneys Willis and McComas, who were combatting the novel points raised on Monday by Attorneys McKinley and Rogers in behalf of Dr. O. L. Woodworth of Long Beach, charged with grand larceny. It is alleged that the doctor stole a deed to property near Fort Dodge, Iowa, valued at $29,000, and belonging to John Kempley.

Defendant's attorneys argue that, since the deed was never delivered, it was a valueless bit of paper, and therefore not subject of larceny. Granted it was actually delivered by Kempley to Dr. Woodworth, then the latter is charged with stealing something that already belonged to him.

"That reminds me," commented Deputy District-Attorney McComas yesterday; "Woodworth is all right either way. Like the good old Presbyterian doctrine, the State in this case is damned if he did and damned if he didn't."

It looks now as if Dr. Woodworth is actually to escape prosecution, and thereby will conclude one of the most sensational stories that ever occurred in this section.

FIGHTING BROTHERS.

Juan Conedo of Compton pleaded guilty yesterday to simple assault and was sentenced to ninety days in the County Jail. He had been charged with assault with a deadly weapon, but pleaded guilty to the lesser offense rather than stand trial.

The complaining witness was his brother, Ramon Conedo. On September 20 they had a drunken row, whereupon Juan pounded Ramon over the head with a club and slashed him with a knife. Now Ramon is not to be found. Brotherly fights have been of common occurrence with the Conedos, although Juan usually gets the worst of them. But this time he wont out only to be run in.

"You ought to be ashamed of yourselves," said Judge Smith to the big, burly fellow before the bench; "the idea of brothers fighting like cats and dogs. It is a disgrace to the community."

When these denunciations trickled through the interpreter to the guilty prisoner, he smiled—a hopeless, careless smile.

TRASK NOT TO BE TRIED.

It was stated in the criminal court yesterday by Deputy District-Attorney Willis that R. D. Trask, charged with assault to commit murder, will probably plead guilty to simple assault and take a County Jail sentence.

Trask is the hostler who, on the Fourth of July, shot his divorced wife in a fit of jealousy and almost killed her. They were living together, and she used to tantalize him by her acceptance of attentions from a neighbor barber. On the morning of the Fourth, she informed Trask that she was going to the beach with the barber. Words followed, and then the shooting. Trask gave himself up to the police.

The case is a difficult one to try, and a plea of guilty to a lesser offense would save large expense, and, it is thought, also serve the ends of justice in every way.

QUEER DAMAGE SUIT.

DUG INTO A HOLE AND OUT.

Mrs. John King of No. 2506 West Seventh street, who distinguished herself on the 4th inst by resisting a gang of telephone workers in their efforts to place a pole in an alley back of the King premises, brought a $10,000 damage suit in the Superior Court yesterday.

The defendants are the Sunset Telephone and Telegarph Company and the workmen who put up the troublesome pole, as follows: City Foreman C. P. Lofthouse, Gang Foreman S. L. Brose, H. Keyser, J. S. Winfield, F. S. Hall, J. S. Smith, W. H. Jenkins, F. Talkington, T. E. Amlin and W. H. Pierce. It will be remembered that Mrs. King stood on the spot of the prospective hole and as the dirt was dug from under her feet she gradually sank out of sight and when the hole was filled again she found herself on top of the ground once more all battered and torn.

The complaint narrates her experience in these words: "Defendants wilfully and unlawfully, with force and violence, without any cause or provocation, assaulted and beat, wounded and bruised the person of plaintiff and struck her with boards, crowbars, shovels and picks, and dug a hole in the ground and put her into it, and while she was in said hole planted a forty-foot telphone pole in said hole and threw dirt and rocks into said hole upon her and tore her clothes from her and bruised and beat her in a most shameless, disgraceful and cruel manner, and inflicted upon her serious bodily injury and bruised her head, shoulders and arms, back, hips and her hands, feet and limbs most cruelly and severely."

As a result of the experience Mrs. King is still unable to walk on her left foot. Her doctor's bill amounted to $25. The alleged insults and assaults took place in the presence of 500 people. Her attorney is George M. Holton, Esq.

SHE NEEDS GUARDIAN.

WEALTHY, BUT INCAPABLE.

Mrs. Marie Valdez de Dassud, the old Mexican woman, who owns property on North Spring street valued at $100,000, must have a guardian.

Such was Judge Shaw's decision yesterday after listening to testimony for two days. Little old Mrs. de Dassud sat in court all shriveled and bent, unable to understand English and wondering what it was all about, although she was aware that her competency was on proof. Now the court decides that she is incapable of caring either for herself or her vast property interests. At present she is in the care of the church. Judge Shaw has still to determine whom he shall appoint as her guardian. The gentle little granddaughter, Flora Parten, who asked that her aged grandmother be declared incompetent, has nominated Public Administrator C. G. Kellogg. Mrs. de Dassud, through her attorney, J. Wiseman Macdonald, Esq., requests the appointment of Bishop Montgomery, inasmuch as the Catholic church has had charge of her property for years. It has been stated that her yearly income is nearly $6000, but $2000 is nearer the correct figure.

The only heir at law to the old woman's property is the granddaughter, although a trust deed has been made wherein the granddaughter and the pretty adopted daughter, Fanny Valdez, and the church are to receive the estate after her death. The attorney for the granddaughter is E. O. Edgerton, Esq.

BACK TAXES PAID.

PROSPERITY'S INDICATION.

County Auditor T. E. Nichols reports a big increase over last year in the number of delinquent taxpayers who are rushing upon him to redeem their property.

He said yesterday: "The only way I can explain the great rush of business in the way of property redemption is on account of the recent impetus real estate seems to have felt, and which appears to be growing every day. Large numbers of property owners are anxious to reclaim land in the vicinity of oil lands in the hope of being able to discover oil upon the tracts so redeemed. Then there are examples of redemption of suburban lots, where the owners have had to buy the same back from the State at a large increase simply because they saw a chance to realize a profit by selling the land again. Yes, this redemption increase is the best sort of an indication of the prosperity of this section of the country. Last year at this time there was no great rush to redeem unpaid taxes, but this fall everybody seems to want to get in on the ground floor and be ready for the rapid advance in real estate that appears to be imminent."

SCALPERS ENJOINED.

HARD FIGHT UNSUCCESSFUL.

Injunctions against the ticket scalpers have been granted by Judge Allen in favor of both the Southern Pacific and the Santa Fé Railroad. The scalpers put up a hard fight, but they were unable to show why the injunctions should not issue. In the suit begun by the Southern Pacific, they even attacked the validity of all the leases held by the Southern Pacific Company from the Southern Pacific Railroad Company throughout the United States. The point has often been raised before, and Judge Allen held, as is always done, that the attack could not be made collaterally, but only by means of quo warranto proceedings.

The battle that has been waging in court for the past three days was to restrain the scalpers from dealing in special excursion tickets to the recent Episcopal convention in San Francisco.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

CAPITAL INCREASED. The capital stock of the Kramer Consolidated Oil Company has been increased from $150,000 to $500,000.

RIGHT OF WAY. The San Pedro, Los Angeles and Salt Lake Railroad Company began suit yesterday against K. H. Dorsey, Mary F. Dorsey, H. S. Taggart, the City of Pomona, Charles M. Wright and Jane Lynch, to condemn a right of way across lands in the Rancho Los Nogales and Rancho San José. The city of Pomona is interested in some of the proposed right of way on account of a sewer right of way.

FACTS TWISTED. When young Juan Ygnacio Carmona was called in Justice James's court yesterday for preliminary examination, on a charge of robbery, Deputy District-Attorney McComas had the case dismissed. He said the facts in the matter had been misrepresented to him. It was alleged by Johnny Garcia that the Carmona boy had robbed him of a $3 watch last Thursday. The boys had had a fight at school one day, during which the watch was lost. Garcia's father told Officer Talamantes that all he wanted out of the prosecution of the case was to get the value of the watch. McComas refused to prostitute the State to the level of a merely collection agency.

INJUNCTION SUIT. The Southern Pacific began an injunction suit yesterday against the California-Pacific Railway Company and the Los Angeles Traction Company, to enjoin the latter from entering upon plaintiff's right of way between Vermont and McClintock avenues in this city, with a view to extending defendant's line across the same en route to San Pedro.

HAGGERTY INSANE. P. Haggerty was adjudged insane yesterday by Judge Shaw and ordered sent to Highland. Syphilis was his downfall.

THE INFERIOR COURTS.

KNIFE AND A GASH MAY BE CONNECTED.

ONE MAN HAD THE BLADE AND OTHER HAS A WOUND.

Pasadena Boy Goes Gunning for a Job With a Big Revolver, and Finds a Friend in Need in the Police Court—Walker's Defense.

Justice Morgan has set out for himself the job of finding out this morning what connection there is between a big bowie knife taken from the clothes of Francisco Hernandez and the slit in the head of one Charles Wolff.

Wolff and Hernandez were arrested in Sonorstown in the midst of a crazy spree. When they were searched at the Police Station, a large clasp knife with a bowie blade was found on Hernandez, and Wolff was bleeding from a wound over his right eye.

Wolff was too drunk to tell whether Hernandez had stabbed him or whether he had been hurt some other way. When he was brought up in the Police Court yesterday, he could not remember how he was hurt. Hernandez didn't know anything about it either.

Justice Morgan took their pleas of guilty to the charge of drunk, and postponed their sentences until this morning, in order that a further investigation may be made.

Boy and a Gun.

Charles Orrin, a sixteen-year-old youngster from Pasadena, not only got out of rather a nasty scrape in the Police Court, but found a friend in need.

Young Orrin came from Pasadena yesterday to look for a job. Whether he thought he ought to make his start in the world forearmed, or whether he was going to hold up somebody for a job is not clear. At any rate, he had a pistol in his pocket. He said he thought he might need it.

He was arrested and brought before Justice Morgan yesterday and entered a plea of guilty to the charge of carrying concealed weapons.

Justice Morgan talked it over with the boy, and becoming convinced that he was not a desperate character, gave him a floater. Further than that he gave the boy a note to a friend from whom he thought he could get work.

His Own Defense.

E. W. Walker, one of the negro scorchers charged with murder for running over and killing little Norman Campbell, was on the witness stand before Justice Austin yesterday.

Walker claimed that it was Watson, not himself, who ran into the children. He said he was riding on the other side of the street more than ten feet from any of the children.

He says that the children were standing in the middle of the road, and he and Watson, after giving warning, tried to pass on either side. Norman's sister tried to pass, and then changed her mind; then changed her mind again, and tried to cross, dragging her little brother after her.

Watson smashed into them, pitching headlong over the crowd and throwing his bicycle over the boy Norman. The child's mother rushed out to him, and asked him if he was hurt. He said that he was not, but he was bleeding at the nose and ears.

The examination will go on today.

More Milk Cases.

Oliver Olson, H. J. West and W. H. Martin were arrested yesterday on a charge of violating the milk ordinance.

Bad Derg.

Ella B. Collier was arrested yesterday on a charge of keeping a vicious dog.

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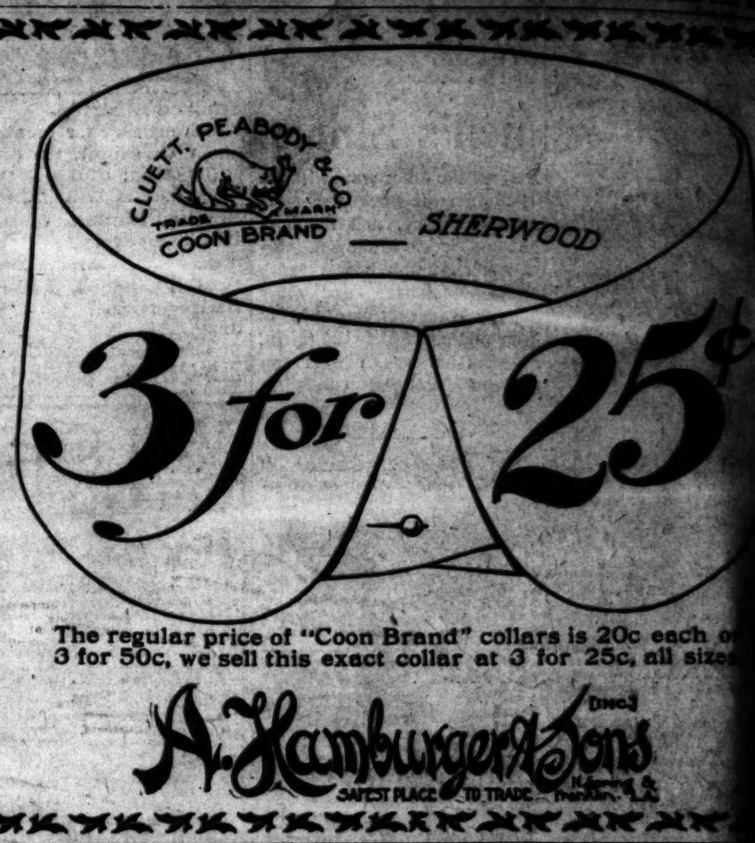

WINTER ECZEMA

While not so common, is much more stubborn and far reaching in its effects than varieties. In this form of the disease atmospheric conditions are the exciting cause trolling power. The cold, bleak winds of winter, that chill the body and penetrate bones seem also to revive the sluggish blood and draw it to the surface, when the acids with which it is filled irritate and burn the tender skin and inflame the lit and pores, thus checking perspiration and drying out the natural oils, when the skin parched and dry, cracking and bleeding, and causing the most intense pain and itch

Tetter is the name sometimes given to this form of Eczema when confined to hands and feet. All persons are not affected alike; some suffer but little discomfo while others in more advanced stages of this terrifying disease endure the most torture. The burning fluid that oozes out through the skin often causes little pus blisters to form, and the watery, sticky discharge dries and hardens into scabs an which, when rubbed off, leave a raw, tender surface. Itching is one of the chief char of this tormenting malady, whether it comes in summer time or winter. Rheum Neuralgia not unfrequently accompany winter Eczema, for the acrid poisons that so surely destroy the health and functions of the skin permeate the muscles and nerves, and a draught of air or exposure to any sudden change in the weather will produce the most acute paroxysms of pain. That Eczema is a constitutional blood disease is beyond dispute. The very fact that it lingers so long, sometimes dormant, at other times a alert, proves that the blood and system are affected. Local causes could not produce varieties and forms of the same disease.

In 1898 Eczema broke out on the inside of my arms and gradually spread. The doctors who examined me said they could cure me, but the disease got worse all the time. I then wrote your Company and on receipt of a reply began to take S.S.S. At first it seemed to make me worse. I was red as a lobster all over, but continued to use S. S. S., and in a short time I began to shed off and that was the last of the Eczema. I was also affected with Rheumatism so badly could hardly walk, but am now on the go all the time.

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AT THE FEDERAL BUILDING.

BIG BURDEN OF DEBT DUE TO THE BOOM.

E. C. WEBSTER AND WIFE ASK TO BE ADJUDGED BANKRUPT.

Webster is Plucky, but Old Judgments and Obligations, Incurred During Boom Times, Have Overweighted Him Financially—Court Asked to Grant Relief.

E. C. Webster and his wife, Flora T. Webster, filed a petition in bankruptcy yesterday in the United States District Court. The liabilities of Mr. Webster are stated to be $69,637.59, to offset which he has assets valued at only $2000. Mrs. Webster's liabilities are scheduled at $16,911.39, with $3600 assets.

Webster's resort to the bankruptcy court was taken on the advice of friends, who counseled it as a means of relief from the ingubus of old debts and judgments, which have been encumbering him since the great real estate boom of the latter 80's.

During the years, 1886, 1887 and 1888 E. C. Webster was a very conspicuous figure in the development of Pasadena. It was through his energy and enterprise that the Carlton Hotel Block, the Pasadena Operahouse and Hotel Green were built, and he was also the first president and chief promoter of the Los Angeles and Pasadena electric road. During the boom period the E. C. Webster Investment Company was one of the foremost real estate and financial concerns in Southern California, but the collapse of the boom left Webster in a condition of insolvency. For the last ten years he has struggled bravely to retrieve his fortune and pay off his old debts, but judgments against him have prevented him from accumulating sufficient capital to make any considerable headway against adversity. In order to start anew the bankruptcy proceedings have been recommended, and Webster still hopes to become rich enough to discharge all of his ancient obligations.

Mrs. Webster's liabilities arose through her indorsement of her husband's paper. Influential friends of Webster have promised to help him to get a fresh start in business, as soon as the court shall have relieved him of his old burden of debt.

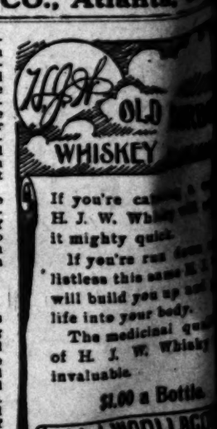
Mining Affairs Settled.

Judge Wellborn settled the affairs of the Ratcliff Consolidated Mining Company yesterday in the United States Circuit Court by approving the final accounting of Receiver Surr and ordering the $4233.60 balance on hand apportioned to the creditors. E. C. Nichols receives $1.31 per cent. and Wells, Fargo & Co. 18.69 per cent. of the cash. The Ratcliff mines are in Inyo county. The new purchasers will retain Gordon Surr in charge of the property for the present, it is said.

MARINE NEWS.

Notice is given from the office of the United States Lighthouse Inspector, Twelfth District, San Francisco, that the first-class nun buoy, painted red and numbered 2, off the submerged end of South Jetty, and the second-class can buoy, painted black and numbered 3, near the turn in North Jetty, Humboldt Bay, which recently went adrift, were replaced in about their old positions October 26.

The outside bar bell buoy, Humboldt bar, is disabled—the bell does not ring. It will be replaced as soon as practicable.



LOCAL SPORTING RECORD.

LOOLOOS WIN WITH EASE.

Cripples "Not in It," to Say the Least.

Pitcher Jones Hands Out Splendid Ball.

Tournament Next Saturday, Coursing Sunday, and Other Sports.

The Wednesday State League played in this city the Looloos and Cripples yesterday in which the lop-sided score was made. The crowd was fair-sized and the new scheme of a mid-week game but did not enthuse much, the interest was slow and all our players Hodson essayed to toss the ball for the visitors, and he was "piddlin'," the locals landing on him with awful fierceness at times for almost every kind of a hit, the total being 20 hits, aggregating fifteen bases, which helped 'em out for the Looloos, who pushed winning ball, except in the fourth inning, when a two-horse hit and a single netted the Cripples the two runs they made.

In the first run, Levy started it by viciously striking Mohler out, calling several balls, "strikes," that were not, and the spectators howled at the umpire, and when Levy had his base turned, Jones "San Franciscoed" the ball by rubbing it in the dirt. He was kicked because the old has-been refuses to enforce that rubbing idea anyway. Dunleavy, next at bat, got a two-horse hit to the right-field fence and after Doc Moskiman had struck out, Eagan hit past Jones and Levy juggled the ball long enough to allow Dunleavy to score from second. That was all the Crippies did on offense, although they had men on second and third a number of times, with chances to score.

The Looloos made their first in the second inning on Dougherty's safe bunt. He stole second and ran on to third when Hogan's muff of Lohman's bad throw to catch Curly. He scored on Jones' hit to right.

The next one came in the sixth on what is charitable to the score board, and was made on errors. Kelly hit to Babcock, who threw to Dunleavy at third to get Reilly, but Dun dropped the ball and was then hit to Hansen, who threw the ball to the plate to head off Reilly, but he scored on Lohman's single.

The last run was made in the seventh on Dougherty's triple and Householder's single. Only three more happened in the game. Reilly opened things with a single to left, and Kelly, Spies and Hogan followed him with singles, which, mixed up with three or four errors of the visitors, gave the Looloos the three runs.

As a matter of fact, the Cripples were not in the game, for they could not hit against the combination of fine pitching and the errors of Jones and Dunleavy.

The score:

LOS ANGELES.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Mohler, c.	3	1	1	0	3	0	0
Hogan, lf	4	1	2	1	2	0	0
Levy, cf	4	0	1	1	2	0	0
Jones, p.	3	0	1	0	0	2	0
Dougherty, ss.	4	1	1	0	2	1	1
Householder, 2b.	4	0	0	0	2	3	0
Lohman, rf.	4	0	0	0	2	0	0
Spies, 1b.	4	1	2	0	9	0	0
Kelly, 3b.	4	1	2	0	0	4	0
Totals	34	5	10	2	27	10	1

OAKLAND.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Babcock, 2b.	3	0	0	0	2	0	0
Eagan, 3b.	4	0	0	0	2	3	2
Reilly, lf.	4	0	0	0	2	0	0
Dunleavy, rf.	4	0	0	0	2	0	0
Schmidt, p.	4	0	0	0	0	2	0
Hansen, ss.	4	0	0	0	1	1	1
Moskiman, c.	4	0	0	0	2	1	0
Hogan, 1b.	4	0	0	0	9	0	0
Curley, cf.	3	0	0	0	2	0	0
Totals	34	0	0	0	24	10	3

SCORE BY INNINGS

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Los Angeles	0	1	0	0	1	2	1	0	0	—5
Oakland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

SUMMARY.

Earned runs—Los Angeles, 2; Oakland, 0. Two-base hits—Dougherty, Jones (2.) Three-base hits—Los Angeles, 1. First base on errors—Los Angeles, 1. First base on called balls—Los Angeles, 2; Oakland, 3. Left on bases—Los Angeles, 9; Oakland, 3. Struck out—By Jones, 4; by Hodson, 2. Hit by pitcher—Householder (2.) Francks. Time of game—1:45. Umpire—Mohler.

LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won.	Lost.	Pc.
San Francisco	84	57	.596
Los Angeles	70	60	.538
Oakland	62	70	.469
Portland	55	84	.395

LINE-UP TODAY.

For today's game Pretzel Schmidt will pitch for the Cripples, and McCredie will be in the box for the locals. Game will be called at 2:30 o'clock.

Rifle Shooting.

The Turners will have their regular weekly shoot next Sunday on the range at the end of Downey avenue.

On Sunday, November 10, the much-talked-of four-man team shoot between the experts of San Diego and four from this city, will take place here, probably on the Downey-avenue range. The local team has not really been picked as yet, the choice for the team resting between two good shots.

On the same day the Sharpshooters will have their regular practice at the Ocean Park rifle range.

Golf.

The putting tournament for the lady members of the Westmoorland Golf Club, which was postponed last Saturday on account of rain, will be played next Saturday afternoon, beginning at 1 o'clock. This is to be the first of similar contests which the club arranges this winter in connection with afternoon teas at the clubhouse. Another is being arranged for the future.

Coursing.

There will be coursing as usual at Agricultural Park next Sunday, the attraction being a forty-dog open stake. The recent rains put the grounds in good condition, and on this account the sport should be above the average. The first course will be at 11 o'clock. The drawing last night resulted as follows:

First course—Julius Caesar, Eversharp vs. Nicasio, Princess Royal vs. Lady Jack, Fox vs. George Dixon, Miss Revenge vs. Johnstone vs. Try Me, Anaconda vs. John's Wildwood, Lady Edith vs. Miss Rhea, St. Louis vs. Hot Foot, Pinto B. vs. Saw Buck, Red Hind vs. Reward, Miss Ormonde vs. Storm King, Flying Dutchman vs. Lady D., Dingwall Die vs. Thornhill Comet, Queen Rosalind vs. King Charles, Merciless vs. Angie Mac, Jim Choate vs. Sir Dick, Last Choice vs. Victor King, Dick L. vs. Jolly Maid, Max Rosebud vs. Cicely Boy.

Tips on the run-down are Julius Caesar, Eversharp, George Dixon, Nicasio, Miss Revenge, John's Wildwood, Lady Edith, St. Louis, Saw Buck, Reward, Storm King, Lady D., Dingwall Die, Queen Rosalind, Angie Mac, Sir Dick, Victor King, Jolly Maid, Cicely Boy.

Lawn Tennis.

The Central-avenue Tennis Club has just been organized, and the following officers elected: C. J. Mosteller, president; Miss Sadie McCray, vice-president; Miss Atta Mitchell, secretary; Newton Best, treasurer.

At a meeting of the club, held this week, a "doubles" tournament was arranged, to be played next Saturday morning on the new courts just finished by the club on the corner of Central avenue and Twenty-eighth street. A club championship at "singles" has also been arranged for Thanksgiving day.

BOWLING.

GOOD GAME OF NINEPINS.

The Oaks easily defeated the Looloos at ninepins last night at the Oaks alleys, the score being 78 to 58. The winner are within two pins of the 80 bowled by the Olympics on October 21, which is still the record.

The results last night were as follows:

LOOLOOS.

	1.	2.	3.	Av.
E. Dutzler	2	5	1	2 2-3
Brand	5	4	5	4 2-3
Hall	3	3	4	3 1-3
Sitzelberg	6	5	5	5 1-3
B. Maier	1	4	5	3 1-3

High average—Sitzelberg, 5 1-3.
Total points—88.
High Roll—Sitzelberg, 6.
Team average—3 13-15.

OAKS.

	1.	2.	3.	Av.
Dysinger	7	6	7	6 2-3
Boye	5	3	5	4 1-3
Burke	8	7	9	8
Thompson	4	3	2	3
McCulley	7	3	2	4

Total points—78.
High roll—Burke, 9.
High average—Burke, 8.
Team average—5 1-5.

Ten Pins.

The Washingtons gave the Melrose team a bad beating at tenpins last night at the Angeles alleys, winning by a score of 2361 to 1859. The losers rolled a poor game throughout, and made no showing whatever. The scores were as follows:

WASHINGTONS.

	1.	2.	3.	Av.
Harris	173	201	111	161 2-3
Boerstler	132	132	156	140
Dee	103	154	212	156 1-3
Border	155	100	151	135 1-3
Farmer	177	175	172	174 2-3
Total	739	820	802	

Total Pins—2361.
High roll—Dee, 212.
Team average—157 2-5.
High average—Farmer, 174 2-3.

MELROSE.

	1.	2.	3.	Av.
Fitzmier	105	131	124	120
Ritter	116	113	146	125 2-3
Belt	110	122	95	109
Bonsall	143	112	129	128
Connor	150	143	119	137
Total	624	620	613	

Total pins—1859.
High roll—Sonnor, 150.
Team average—123 14-15.
High average—Connor, 127.

The Chutes and the Owls will bowl tenpins tonight at the Chutes alleys.

THE OIL INDUSTRY.

CALIFORNIA SHOULD SUPPLY THE ORIENT.

MARKET FOR REFINED OIL NEVER WAS BETTER.

Whittier Operators Having Their Hands Full to Keep Up With the Demand—Kern Combine Nearing a Head. On 'Change.

"Let them all come; there cannot be too many oil refineries," was the remark of a local producer yesterday, and, in his mind at least, there is no fear that the market cannot absorb the ouput of many more stills.

"California, and especially Southern California, should produce much more refined oil than it does at present," he continued. "There is now a good market and a growing one for both asphaltum and refined oil. Only a few days ago a ship sailed from Philadelphia with 130,000 cases of refined petroleum billed for Japan. At the same time there are loading or under charter to load for the land of the Mikado, sixteen vessels, all to carry cargoes of refined petroleum, amounting in all to 1,417,000 cases, which, with the cargo of the first vessel will amount to 15,470,000 gallons.

"It is small wonder that men of capital are turning their attention to the erection of refineries in this productive section. As soon as more plants are erected, the problem will no longer be as to what the producer can do with his oil, but it will be how can he meet the demand."

NEARING COMPLETION.

COMBINE LOOKS FAVORABLE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The big combine of Kern county oil properties and companies, which was effected early in October, has been nearly perfected. Representatives of the companies which will be taken over by the new company, which is known as the Associated Oil Company, have been meeting the last few days in San Francisco, and making arrangements for the taking over of the oil companies by the new concern. The exchange will be on a basis of appraised value of the properties, which appraisement is now being made by experts. Stock in the new company will be issued in exchange. The capital stock of the Associated Oil Company is $40,000,000.

The officers and directors of the company are: President, C. A. Canfield, Los Angeles; first vice-president, W. G. Kerckhoff, Los Angeles, second vice-president, W. A. Jacobs, San Francisco; treasurer, Burton E. Green, Los Angeles; secretary, O. Scribner, San Francisco. These, with the following, are the directors: E. F. Brooks, Bakersfield; Henry Ash, San Francisco; H. H. Blood, San Francisco; M. J. Laymance, Oakland; W. F. Chandler, Selma; W. S. Porter, Los Angeles. The head office will be in San Francisco.

WHITTIER OIL IN DEMAND.

Whittier operators are letting no grass grow under their feet these days, as oil of that territory was never in greater demand than it is at present.

The Central Oil Company is one of the busiest, but the Murphy is not far behind. The former company is working on well No. 23, and has sent the casing in 1200 feet. It is a single string of ten-inch drive pipe, one of the heaviest outfits of casing ever handled in that field.

"Good progress is being made on the North Whittier Oil Company's No. 2," says the Whittier News. "The hole is down 1200 feet and there is known to be oil enough in sight to make a small well, but as the hole is filled up with water to prevent caving it is impossible to estimate the capacity. The conglomerate formation, which caused so much trouble with No. 1, and which has made work on No. 2 very slow, has been passed on the second well and the outlook is very promising."

It is the intention of the Murphy company to drill at the foot of the cañon, and efforts will be made to open new territory. This company has purchased ten acres at the intersection of the Southern Pacific and Santa Fé tracks at Los Nietos and will extend a three-inch pipe from the present terminus at Evergreen Station to the former point.

The Raymond Oil Company is having trouble with its very deep well, in 2200 feet, as loose sand in the hole interfers with the pump.

COMPLETED ITS LABORS.

The board of appraisers that was appointed five weeks ago to take an inventory of all the personal property of the several Kern River companies desirous of becoming members of the Associated Oil Company, has completed its work. The report will be sent to the head office at once and it is thought will be acted upon the latter part of the week. The matters of the proposed combine are apparently looking very bright to those on the inside, as they are confident that it will go through and be a success.

"Messrs. Chansior, Reed and Whittier, the committee appointed to make the appraisement, have compiled a complete inventory of the personal property.

IN MERCEDES CAMP.

On section 5, 29, 28, in Kern River, the Mercedes Oil Company has just completed two wells that are averaging 250 barrels a day on the beam. Two more wells are on the same tract, and it is announced the company has mapped out much new work. The holdings are in a very choice locality and it is only a matter of drilling a few hundred feet to secure a thrifty well.

ON 'CHANGE.

REED CRUDE ONLY SOLD.

Reed Crude was the only stock to find a market on the floor yesterday.

	Shares.	Price.
Reed Crude	500	.33⅜
Reed Crude	2000	.33⅓
Total	2500	$838.75

Closing bids and offers were: Alpha, 10 cents bid, 14 asked; Brea Cañon, 3.20 bid; Central, 74 cents bid, 78 asked; Central Point $1.70 asked; Continental, 55 cents asked; Fullerton Oil, 5¼ cents bid, 6 asked; Fullerton Consolidated, 42 cents bid, 45 asked; Globe, 20 cents asked; Home of Fresno, $3.25 bid; Kern Oil, $5.75 bid; Parker, 10 cents bid; Pacific Slope, 1¾ cents bid, 2½ asked; Senator, $1 bid, $1.15 asked; Southern Consolidated, 1¾ cents bid; Uncle Sam, 4¾ cents asked; Whittier Consolidated, 2 cents bid; Westlake, 4¾ cents bid, 5½ asked; Wilson, 6½ cents bid; Western Union, $55 asked.

Bids and offers for other securities were: Broadway Bank $125 bid; Bank of Commerce, $102 bid; California Bank $140 bid; Farmers' and Merchants' $2500 bid; Citizens' National, $131 bid; First National, $210 bid; Los Angeles National, $155 bid, $16 asked; Merchants' National, $16[illegible] bid; National Bank of California, $130 bid, $150 asked; Central, $130 bid; Columbia Savings, $54 bid; German-American, $150 bid; State Bank and Trus, $97 bid; Union Savings, $125 bid; Title Insurance and Trust, preferred, $105 asked, $110 bid; Edison Electric, $6 bid, $70 asked; Los Angeles Brewery $104 bid, $109 asked.

Mining stocks called were: South Bisbee Copper, 16 cents bid, 25 asked; Green Mountain, 25 cents asked; Butte Lode, $27 bid, Bisbee West, 15 cents bid.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 30.—At the morning session of the Oil Stock Exchange sales were made at following figures:

Hanford	$194.00	Junction	$ .24
Hanford	195.00	Lio	.09
Home Oil	3.00	Petroleum	.08
Junction	.22	No. 28	1.50

Official closing figure were:

Junction	$ .23	Junction	$ .25
Monarch	.23	Perkins	5.00

BEAUMONT FIELD.

LATE FIND IMPORTANT.

BEAUMONT (Tex.) Oct. 28.—[Regular Correspondence.] The bringing in of the San Jacinto well on Saturday is regarded as the most important event of several months in the Beaumont field. It is 200 feet north of what has heretofore been counted as the proven field, and, what is more important, the drillers assert that the oil flows from a lower stratum of oil sand than that which is tapped by all the other pipes. The drill was sent entirely through the oil-bearing sand and into a stratum of white sandstone. This stratum was found to be two feet thick, and immediately below it a coarse, dark oil-baring sand was found.

The drill was removed, and the baller sent down, and as this was being drawn up with its load, it was noticed that the baller was coming faster than the machinery was winding up the cable. The baller at a part of the cable were jammed into the top of the pipe, and it was necessary to remove the valve at the top of the pipe. When this was done the baller shot up into the top of the derrick by the force of the coming oil, which spouted with all the vigor of the regulation gusher. The well was allowed to flow long enough to prove the it was a real gusher, and then the lower valve was closed. The well is 656 feet deep.

Only the crudest tests have been made with the oil which came from the lower oil stratum. It burns with a blue flame with less smoke than the other crude oil in this market.

Seven gushers were brought in this week, and a number of others are nearly to the oil sand. During the week a contract was let for the drilling in the proven territory of ten wells which an eastern syndicate will use as the basis for a company which will be launched. A report was circulated early in the week that a contract had been made for the drilling of twenty-five wild-cat wells in various localities on the coast.

At Jennings work has been suspended on the first hole, after every known expedient for handling the sand had been resorted to. The company which drilled the hole has not decided to abandon the well, but nothing is being done pending other developments. Other companies are rushing work on their properties, and still other companies are being formed to drill in the field. All the larger companies are watching the results obtained, but the experts do not expect a rival field to be discovered at Jennings.

The gas well at Velasco is still discharging millions of feet of gas, and no means of stopping the flow has been devised. The pipe cannot be anchored securely enough to allow the placing of a cap on it. The well has been discharging for six weeks, and there seems to be not the slightest lessening of the pressure.

DEATH OF A LINEMAN.

Louis F. Eby Believed to Have Been Fatally Shocked While Working Among Electric Wires Yesterday.

Louis F. Eby came to his death early yesterday morning from causes unknown to the Coroner's jury, which conducted an inquest over his remains in the afternoon. Appearances indicate that he came in contact with a live electric wire. Such, in substance, is the verdict returned by the jury.

Eby, who had been in Los Angeles only a short time, died at the Receiving Hospital half an hour after being taken there from the roof of the San Gabriel Electric Lighting Company's office building, where he was engaged in laying a corrugated iron covering. Several electric wires pass over the building about five feet from the roof.

It is thought that Eby accidentally seized one of these wires while trying to regain his balance, after tripping on the roof. A burn on the sole of his left foot showed that he had been stricken with an electric current.

The body was taken to the undertaking rooms of Booth & Boylson, and will later be sent to Eby's former home at Winchester, Ill. The deceased was 30 years of age, and was a lineman in the employ of the concern on whose building he met with the fatal accident.

FUNERAL OF W. S. DE VAN.

Services Held at the Family Residence and the Remains Interred at Rosedale Cemetery Yesterday.

Funeral services over the remains of the late William S. De Van, the well-known capitalist, who died Monday, were held yesterday at the family residence on North Hill street, and were conducted by Rev. Hugh K. Walker, D.D. The funeral was attended by bankers and other business and professional men prominent in the affairs of the city, and the floral tributes were numerous and beautiful. One from the National Bank of California, of which the deceased was a director, represented a book, on which was inscribed the legend, "His life was an open book; his words were wisdom and his work well done." Other designs were sent by various commercial organizations, including the Chamber of Commerce.

The pallbearers were J. E. Marble, N. Bonfilio, O. H. Churchill, A. W. Greenwood, S. C. Hubbell and A. Hadley. At the conclusion of the services, the remains were conveyed to Rosedale for interment.

GEN. VOIRON'S LETTERS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—The Berlin correspondent of the London Times and the New York Times says the letters of Gen. Voiron, who commanded the French troops in China, to Field Marshal Count Von Waldersee, have made a disagreeable impression. The German public, according to the correspondent, which had been deluded into the belief in growing Franco-German friendship, now has its eyes opened. The Kreuz Zeitung does not publish the letters, because, as it says: "They do not furnish altogether attractive reading for wider circles."

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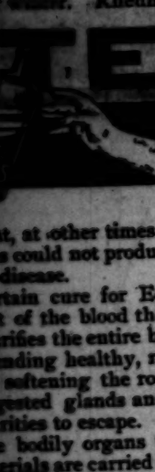

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The contract for filling the China Basin in San Francisco for the Santa Fé Railway Company has been let. The successful bidders are B. Lantry Sons of Strong City, Kan., who have in times past done a great deal of work for the Santa Fé.

The work to be done in filling the China Basin will cost a little over $2,000,000. R. B. Burns, chief engineer of the road, reached home yesterday morning. He had the bids, seven in all, in his possession, and was therefore ready to proceed with letting the contract. The bidders had been here for a week or more, waiting for Mr. Burns to return.

The amount of material to be moved in order to fill the Basin, some adjacent ground bought by the company and some swamp land in South San Francisco, also bought by the company for stock yards, is 1,031,441 cubic yards. This material comes from hills in the vicinity, also bought by the Santa Fé, and is mostly rock.

The China Basin is a parcel of shallow water on the bay between the foot of Third and Fourth streets in San Francisco. It contains about forty-eight acres, and is leased from the State for fifty years. A seawall must be constructed around three sides of the area. Work is already in progress on this. It was begun February 17, making trestles. March 1 dredging was begun, and March 10 the first rock was dumped. To date about one hundred and fifty thousand tons of rock has been put in place, and this, with the other rock, has cost $140,000. The contract for this seawall work was awarded to C. A. Warren and Gray Bros. of San Francisco, and W. C. Walker of Oakland. This will take 1,-800,000 tons of rock and 100,000 cubic yards of heavy rip-rap work. The cost of it will be $800,000.

The whole work will take two and a half years to complete, the total cost being as shown above, more than $3,-000,000.

Beside the China Basin the Santa Fé bought about twenty acres adjoining, lying between Illinois street and the water front, Fourth and Eldorado streets. The filling of this, which is low ground, is included in the Langtry Bone contract.

The land bought for stock yards is in South San Francisco, some two miles from the China Basin. This will take some 500,000 cubic yards of material. The filling of all the ground as contemplated, but not all included in the contract just let will take $2,500,000 cubic feet.

To get the material the company bought fourteen city blocks, 400x200 feet wide, with the streets beside, in the Potrero, between Sierra and Mariposa, Tennessee and Iowa streets.

These hills are 132 feet above the datum plane of the city and are composed for the most part of rock. The outlay made by the Santa Fé for lands amounts in all to $1,216,193.

The plant to be installed by the contracts will cost upward of $50,000, and the freight charges to bring it from the East will amount to $15,000.

The contractors must build about three miles of railroad track, and furnish four locomotives and at least sixty cars of fifteen cubic yards capacity.

Work must be begun not later than January 1, 1902.

Order for Rolling Stock.

DENVER, Oct. 30.—The largest order for motive power and equipment ever placed by a western road has been placed in the East. The order is for forty engines, twenty passenger cars and 2000 freight cars. This will increase to standard gauge the equipment of the Denver and Western.

LUMMIS ACTED AS GUIDE IN WONDERLAND.

SANTA FE OFFICIALS ON A TOUR OF OBSERVATION.

Los Angeles Editor, Author and Archæologist, Chaperoned Distinguished Tourists in Arizona—Prehistoric Ruins and Other Wonders Inspected.

Charles F. Summis returned yesterday from ten days in New Mexico and Arizona, where he conducted President E. P. Ripley and party of fifteen to a few of the wonders of that interesting territory. The chief trips were to Acoma, by wagon from Cubero, and to the Chaco Cañon by wagon, sixty-five miles north from Thoreau.

At Acoma the Governor, Lorenzo Lino, ordered a ceremonial dance in honor of his visitors and put his houses at their disposal. Half the party remained there over night, among the Indians, exploring the many trails which lead up the wild precipices that encircle the whole cliff-built town.

From Thoreau they were taken by wagons and saddle horses of the Hyde exploring expedition, with an escort of about a hundred Navajos. They camped out two nights at Pintado, where the Navajos held a dance, and had a day and night at the great ruins of the Pueblo Bonito, Chettro Kettle, Pueblo del Arroyo, Pueblo Viejo, etc.

The party reached the Grand Cañon Monday morning, and selected a site for the hotel to be erected there by the Santa Fé. The party was composed of President E. P. Ripley, wife, son and two daughters; Jerome A. Ellis, his son-in-law; Paul Morton, first vice-president of the Santa Fé; J. W. Kendrick, third vice-president, and his wife; Howel Jones, a director of the company; J. A. Post, Miss Snyder, Miss Payson, H. Maratta, the artist; A. G. Wells, general superintendent of the Santa Fé Pacific, and his wife, and Fred C. Harvey, manager of the Harvey eating houses. The ladies remained at the cañon until today, except Mrs. Wells and Mrs. Kendricks. The officials went on by special to San Francisco Monday night. All were keenly interested by the side trips, and arrangements will probably be made to facilitate travel to the many extraordinary attractions along the line of the Santa Fé in New Mexico and Arizona.

HARRIMAN AND HILL.

CONFLICTING INTERESTS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—The Commercial Advertiser says the arrangements for carrying out an agreement between E. H. Harriman and J. J. Hill, representing conflicting interests in the stock of the Northern Pacific, have been progressing so rapidly for the last forty-eight hours that today it was said by representatives of the Hill party that an announcement might be made this week.

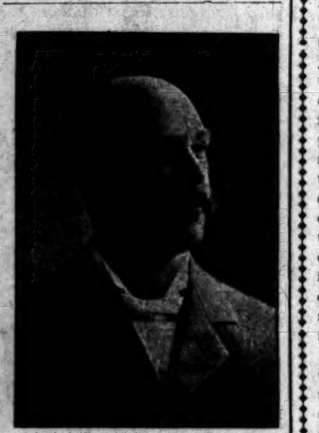
On the other hand, representatives of the Kuen Loeb party say that while it was possible that an announcement might be made by Saturday, yet it was more than likely an announcement will not be made until the return of Harriman to New York. The announcement, it is thought, will be regarded with more satisfaction than usual. Vanderbilt returned from England today.

CLARENCE A. WARNER SUDDENLY CALLED.

POPULAR RAILROAD MAN DIES IN PACIFIC HOSPITAL.

Among His Associates and Apparently Well but a Few Days Ago, the Los Angeles-Pacific Passenger Agent Expires Unexpectedly.

The sudden death of Clarence A. Warner, passenger agent for the Los Angeles-Pacific Railway, is a shock to his associates in the railroad world. Apparently in perfect health on Saturday, and about among the railroad offices, and at church on Sunday, the



THE LATE CLARENCE A. WARNER.

news of his death was utterly unexpected. Hardly a dozen people knew he was sick.

Sunday evening he complained of feeling a pain in the groin, and was taken to the Pacific Hospital, where a well-defined case of appendicitis quickly developed. It was thought best to operate on the patient, and to do this he was put under the influence of ether. He never came out of the condition produced by the gas, but yielded to its effects on a weak heart.

In personal appearance and in the work he has done, Clarence A. Warner was a notable figure in Los Angeles. Born in Clinton, Iowa, about forty-five years ago, he came to Los Angeles somewhat more than fifteen years ago. He and his brother soon after organized the Warner Bros.' excursions, which were the means of bringing a great many people to Southern California.

Later, Mr. Warner was traveling passenger agent for the Santa Fé, and then for the Southern Pacific. Three or four years ago he became passenger agent for the Mt. Lowe Railway, when it was in the hands of the receivers, and he did excellent work in helping to put the property on a paying basis. From this position he went to the Los Angeles-Pacific as passenger agent, and to this he brought the energy of character, affability of manner and skill in the business for which he was noted.

He was of a strikingly handsome appearance, over six feet tall, and weighing perhaps 250 pounds or more. His smile was always winning, and his address engaging. Naturally he was one of the most popular men in the railroad business.

Mr. Warner was married about the time he came to Los Angeles, but was separated from his wife years ago. He at one time owned a valuable orange grove in Redlands, and probably died possessed of it.

The funeral service will be held at the late residence, No. 716 South Hill street, this afternoon at 2 o'clock, and interment will be at Rosedale Cemetery.

NEW RAILWAY SYSTEM.

SANTA FE IN ALLIANCE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Oct. 30.—The Chronicle tomorrow will say that a new transcontinental railway system is to be formed. The Pennsylvania and Santa Fé roads are planning an alliance. Heretofore the Pennsylvania's connection to and from the West has been the Burlington, which has become the property of the Morgan-Hill syndicate.

The scheme is not a financial proposition, but merely one involving close traffic relations.

U. P. SIGNAL SYSTEMS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

OMAHA (Neb.) Oct. 30.—November first, the Union Pacific will put into operation on its entire system an interlocking switch-and-signal system and a block-signal system.

PENNSYLVANIA HORSESHOE.

WILL BE DESTROYED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ALTOONA (Pa.) Oct. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The most colossal enterprise yet undertaken in modern American railroading is to sacrifice the great horseshoe curve of the Pennsylvania Railway Company by the construction of an underground tunnel seven miles long. The tunnel will begin at a point a few rods below the curve and come out of the mountain a short distance beyond Cresson, the summer resort. The length would approximate seven miles.

The distance between Kittanning Point, where the curve is located, and Cresson, over the present line is about ten miles. The tunnel will save at least three minutes in time, besides steep grades and sharp curves. It is expected that the cost will run into millions.

PASSING OF THE DUMMY.

Sale of the Temple-Street Cable Road Practically Effected.

Probably today, or within a few days at the farthest, the old Temple-street Cable Railway will pass into possession of the Huntington electric railway syndicate.

Rumors about the sale of this road have been rife, from time to time, for four or five years, and especially within the present year have reports been frequently circulated that the Los Angeles Railway Company had, or was about to acquire the cable property. These rumors, however, have invariably proved groundless.

But the announcement is now made, on the very best authority, that the sale of the obsolete dummy line has at length been practically effected. H. E. Huntington has been earnestly negotiating for the acquisition of the property for the last few days, and it was stated last night that the deal is all but closed.

General Manager Epes Randolph of the Los Angeles Railway Company, when questioned as to the reported deal, replied that he did not know just exactly how far the negotiations had progressed, but admitted that the actual transfer of the property may take place any day. He seemed to regard the consummation of the dicker as a foregone conclusion, but stated that he did not know on what terms the cable road would be taken over. From an outside source it was learned that the net consideration would be in the neighborhood of $75,000, which is considered very cheap.

However, the cable property will be of very little value to the Los Angeles Railway Company, except for the franchise. As the object of the purchase is to convert the old dummy line into an up-to-date electric road, the tracks will have to be entirely rebuilt, and the old cable powerhouse, machinery and rolling stock will be of no use to the new management in the operation of the newly-constructed road.

Just in connection with what other line or lines of the Huntington system the new Temple-street electric road will be operated, has not yet been decided, but it will probably be merged with one of the affiliated roads of the Los Angeles Railway Company.

The Temple-street cable line was the first and is the last remaining cable road in Los Angeles. It was built in 1886, and has been operated continuously since then, but not with any great profit, although travel over it has been heavy, considering its meager accommodations. Its quaint and antiquated little cars look ludicrous in these days of luxurious, rapid transit, and the passing of the diminutive cable dummy will be hailed with satisfaction by all friends of civic progress.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

Informal Reception Yesterday to First Assistant Secretary of the Interior—Reception to Walcott.

After the regular meeting yesterday afternoon of the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce, the members tendered an informal reception to Hon. Thomas Ryan, first assistant Secretary of the Interior, and his son, Edwin C. Ryan. A. J. Crookshank, Register of the local Land Office, and R. D. Wade, County Recorder, introduced the visitors to the members of the board. A pleasant half-hour was spent in conversation, but Mr. Ryan declined to make a formal talk.

It is very much desired by the members of the Chamber of Commerce that the representative business men of the city be present at the reception to be held in the chamber next Wednesday at 4 o'clock in the afternoon in honor of Hon. Charles D. Walcott, director of the United States Geological Survey.

RAILWAY WRECK.

Bunch of Cattle Throws Train from Track, Injuring Two of the Crew and Damaging Road.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

DENVER (Colo.) Oct. 30.—Two men were probably fatally injured and two others bruised in a wreck on the Rio Grande Railway near Walsond, last night, in a collision between an extra freight train and a bunch of cattle. The injured:

W. B. O'CONNELL, fireman, Pueblo.

J. M. GOLIGHTLY, brakeman, Pueblo.

Ten cars were ditched, one hundred feet of track torn up and several cattle killed.

FINE music during dinner and after the theater at Del Monte.

EVENTS IN SOCIETY.

Miss Ethel Works, daughter of Hon. and Mrs. John D. Works, and Griffing Bancroft, son of Hubert H. Bancroft, the well-known historian, were married yesterday evening in the Church of the Unity on South Flower street. Rev. C. J. K. Jones, the pastor, officiated, and the wedding was largely attended by friends of the two families, including the most prominent society people of the city. The church was beautifully decorated with white feathery chrysanthemums and tropical foliage, the effect being carried out in white and green. The bride wore a handsome gown of pearl-white duchess satin, trimmed with silk applique. She wore a long veil, held in place with a diamond and pearl pin, a gift from the groom. She carried a bouquet of American Beauty roses. Miss Ethel Allison, maid of honor, and Miss Bessie Shemwell, Miss Marian Dalmazzo and Miss Stella Klauber, bridesmaids, all wore pink silk taffeta gowns, trimmed with ribbons and lace. Miss Katherine Kurtz and Miss Jessie Barrett, also bridesmaids, wore gowns of white silk taffeta, and they all carried bouquets of white and pink chrysanthemums. Paul Bancroft, brother of the groom, was best man, and the ushers were Messrs. Edgar Klauber, Emil Ducommun, Edwin Harber, Walter Van Pelt and Russ Avery. Frank Colby presided at the organ, and as the bridal party entered the church he played Mendelssohn's "Wedding March," and during the ceremony the "Bridal Chorus" from "Lohengrin" was softly rendered. After the service, a reception was held at the home of Judge and Mrs. Works on Orchard avenue. The rooms were artistically decorated with American Beauty roses and white carnations, intermingled with ferns and palms. The guests at the reception included only the bridal party, relatives and intimate friends. Mr. and Mrs. Bancroft will visit Monterey, San Francisco and other points of interest on their bridal tour, returning to Los Angeles about November 15, where they will visit a few days before going to San Diego, their future home. Mr. Bancroft and his bride were schoolmates and spent their childhood together in San Diego, until a few years ago, when Judge Works moved with his family to Los Angeles. They have a host of friends throughout Southern California, which was manifested by the large number of handsome gifts received.

Surprise Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey H. Cox were pleasantly surprised yesterday evening in celebration of their wedding anniversary and also in honor of the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Cox. The party was planned by Mrs. Walter T. Covington and Mrs. C. H. Howland, and the company met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howland on Thirtieth and Hoover streets, and proceeded to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cox, No. 1044 West Thirtieth street. The guests were entertained with progressive whist, and prizes were awarded. After the games, refreshments were served. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Bradford, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Howland, Dr. and Mrs. Walter T. Covington, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Young, Mr. and Mrs. Penfield, Mr. and Mrs. Hadley, Mr. and Mrs. Mat W. Everhardy, Mr. and Mrs. Mather, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Cov, Dr. and Mrs. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Pitcher, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Keyser, Dr. and Mrs. Stoner, Mrs. S. Benjamin, Miss C. Reese, Mrs. Stoll, Dr. W. E. Neal.

Hughes-Scherb.

Miss Rose H. Hughes, daughter of Mrs. M. W. Hughes, and Henry L. Scherb were married Tuesday evening in St. Vibiana Cathedral. Rev. Father Clifford officiated. The bride was given away by her grandmother, Mrs. Frances Cochrane. The wedding was quietly celebrated. The bride wore a handsome gray visiting gown, and she carried a bouquet of white carnations and maidenhair ferns. After the ceremony a supper was served at the home of the bride's mother, at which only relatives were present. Mr. and Mrs. Scherb left on the evening train for San Francisco.

Entertained Eastern Friends.

Mrs. I. J. Barrett entertained at her home, No. 757 South Alvarado street, Wednesday afternoon and evening. She was assisted by Mrs. T. J. Hall, who is temporarily residing in this city. The rooms were decorated with roses and smilax, harmonizing with the furnishings and lending a pretty touch of color to the rooms. A social game of cards was played in the evening, and light refreshments were served. Among the guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Rockwell, Dr. and Mrs. Waters, Capt. McLaughlin of Ottawa, Can.; Col. B. F. McBriedney of Pittsburgh, Pa.; Mrs. H. M. Kimbel, Mrs. M. A. Alexander, Miss Rose Alexander, Mrs. H. F. Reed, Miss Enda Reed, C. A. Reed, Mrs. C. Budding, Miss M. O. Budding of Salt Lake City, Mrs. C. H. Schew, Mrs. Thomas Fitzgerald, Mrs. W. H. Wylie, Mrs. E. M. Lenard, Mrs. M. B. Hopkins, Miss E. A. Hopkins, Mrs. H. Benners, Mrs. F. E. Walker, Mrs. Broadhead and daughter, all of Denver, Colo.

For Miss Mullen.

Miss Louise McFarland gave a charming reception yesterday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan McFarland on West Twenty-third street. The affair was a complimentary pre-nuptial courtesy to Miss Genevieve Mullen. Miss McFarland has been chosen as one of the bridal party, and the other young ladies who will attend Miss Mullen assisted in receiving and entertaining. The house was artistically decorated with yellow chrysanthemums and foliage. Refreshments were served in the dining-room during the reception hours. The guests included prominent society ladies, and the rooms were thronged throughout the afternoon.

Holcomb-Munsey.

Miss Grace F. Holcomb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Holcomb, and Fred E. Munsey were married Tuesday evening in their home, No. 744 West Sixteenth street, Rev. Hough of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, officiated. The wedding was a quiet one, with only relatives present to witness the ceremony. The rooms were decorated with pink and white chrysanthemums. The bride wore a gown of white silk, trimmed with lace and ribbons. The bride and groom are both well known in Los Angeles, where they have resided for many years. Mr. and Mrs. Munsey will be at home after December 1 at their new home.

Kislingbury-Allen.

Miss Nettie Kislingbury of Los Angeles and J. H. Allen, freight agent for the Missouri-Pacific Railroad, with headquarters at Lincoln, Neb., were married yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of the bride, No. 922 West Thirtieth street. The wedding was quietly celebrated, and not even the most intimate friends of the couple, outside their own families, were advised of the marriage. Mr. and Mrs. Allen left last night for the East.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

Mrs. Frank D. Owens of No. 310 North Belmont avenue was called north Tuesday on account of the serious illness of her father and sister, who reside in Berkeley.

The first of a series of dances arranged for the winter by the Assembly will be given this evening at the Women's Clubhouse on South Figueroa street.

The Kappa Alpha Theta, Alumna Chapter, will hold a meeting Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in Miss Curran's studio in Blanchard Hall.

Dr. Ida F. Rosencrans and daughter, Nora, have gone to Helena, Mont., for a short visit. Dr. Rosencrans will attend the wedding of her sister, Miss Mary C. Wilson, while there. Miss Rosencrans will spend the winter in Montana.

Mrs. C. C. Brock has returned after a pleasant visit with friends in the northern part of the State.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Beville arrived in Los Angeles yesterday morning, after spending six months in eastern cities. They will be at their home, No. 1406 West Seventh street, after November 1.

PERSONAL.

R. Obregon of Mexico is at the Rosslyn.

J. W. Bogan and wife of Tucson are at the Nadeau.

P. Albin, a business man of Guaymas, Mex., is at the Nadeau.

A. W. Bannister is a Bakersfield citizen at the Hollenbeck.

F. Estudillo of San Jacinto, a mining man, is at the Hollenbeck.

A. F. Surtz and wife are Denver tourists at the Hollenbeck.

Rev. A. Grant, a Santa Barbara clergyman, is a Ramona guest.

D. F. Platner, a mining man from Mexico, is staying at the Natick.

B. B. Conable and wife of Warsaw, N. Y., are tourists at the Broadway.

E. M. Dickerman, a railroad man of Sacramento, is staying at the Rosslyn.

B. F. McMillan and wife of McMillan, Mo., are sightseers at the Van Nuys.

H. A. Douglas, who is engaged in mining in Northern Mexico, is at the Natick.

George W. Cummings of Weldon, this State, is a mining man staying at the Nadeau.

John D. Fresch and wife of San Francisco are sojourning at the Westminster.

James Denton, a business man of San Francisco, is at the Ramona with his wife.

George B. Kelly, a newspaper man of Moberly, Mo., is quartered at the Ramona.

H. L. Benjamin and Mrs. Benjamin of Kansas City arrived at the Van Nuys yesterday.

Hubert H. Bancroft, the historian, is here to attend the wedding of his son, Griffing Bancroft.

Rev. C. C. Barker of Philadelphia is among yesterday's tourist arrivals at the Hollenbeck.

T. J. Fleetwood and wife are travelers from Tacoma, Wash., quartered at the Westminster.

Arthur Small and Mrs. Small came up from San Diego yesterday and registered at the Westminster.

Dr. W. W. Beckett has returned from a tour of the East, where he visited the large hospitals in the principal cities.

Harry Johnson, who has mining interests in Lower California, came up yesterday and registered at the Hollenbeck.

Edward L. and O. P. Massie, Kansas City mining men who have been prospecting in Mexico, are guests at the Rosslyn.

E. F. Tamm of Los Gatos, a member of the local preserving firm of Keppler & Tamm, is at the Rosslyn with his wife.

Dr. F. F. Lairt of No. 643 South Burlington street, who has been on a short visit to Utica, N. Y., is expected to arrive here tomorrow morning.

J. R. Thomas vice-president of the Mingus Mountain Copper Company, yesterday returned from a ten-days' visit to the mines, near Jerome, Aris.

E. L. Doheny, the well-known oil man of Oakland has brought his family from the north for an extended visit here. They are quartered at the Van Nuys.

Signor Steinel, a general merchandise dealer of Escondido, registered at the Nadeau yesterday. He reports the general condition in that part of San Diego county most prosperous this year.

J. W. Erwin, third assistant superintendent of free mail delivery on this coast, came from San Francisco yesterday on official business. He is conferring with the local postoffice officials preparatory to the yearly increase in the force to meet the heavy Christmas mails and the tourist rush that follows.

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ARIZONA BLOW-UP.

Details of the Magazine Explosion at Williams, Which Tore Things Loose at a Great Rate.

WILLIAMS (Ariz.) Oct. 30.—[Regular Correspondence.] This morning at 8:50 this city was startled by a terrific explosion in the Santa Fé yards. Tin cans, broken boards and debris could be seen up in the air, and an immense cloud of smoke rose hundreds of feet in the clear sky. The magazine containing a quantity of blasting powder and dynamite had let go. The house had been in use eighteen years, and no one knows what caused the blow-up. Not only the panes, but even the sashes of all the windows in the immediate vicinity were broken; doors were broken off, the Postal Telegraph lines were broken and twisted. An engine, from which many think the fire originated, was switching three cars just in front of the house a few yards away when the explosion occurred. The sides of the cars were blown to atoms, but the locomotive was only slightly damaged. The fireman was on the ground on the opposite side, but the engineer was blown clear through the cab. A brakeman was thrown in the air and slightly injured.

All over the city books were thrown out of the bookcases; chandeliers were broken and dishes were broken setting on the tables; even brick buildings trembled like leaves. The box factory had an eccentric rod broken on one of the large engines, which required the shutting down of the plant till night. Scores of people were thrown to the ground by the violence of the shock. No one seems to know the exact amount of explosives in the building at the time, but some claim only a few hundred pounds, while others say it contained over a ton.

AX AND HATCHET.

Two Men Cut While Chopping Wood—One Loses Finger, and the Other Bleeds Almost to Death.

Martin Gaule of No. 1319 South Grand avenue, underwent an operation for the amputation of his left little finger at the Receiving Hospital yesterday afternoon. While cutting wood, a friend, with whom he was working, accidentally struck his finger with an ax.

A similar accident nearly cost the life of James A. Dix, 76 years of age, of No. 1215 East Twenty-eighth street. He was cutting wood with a hatchet at his home early yesterday morning, when he struck his left wrist with the blade. The radial artery was severed, and Dix bled profusely. He ran to the home of Dr. W. H. Fox at No. 1008 East Twenty-fifth street, leaving a trail of blood behind him. He was very weak from loss of blood. The injury was quickly dressed, and Dix will recover.

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LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

Whatever may be the outcome during the winter, there is no improvement yet in the dried-fruit market in a wholesale way. Canned fruits are active and firm, but buyers seem indifferent to the cured fruit. Although theoretical considerations point to an active demand as probable, but it has not develop.

About half the walnuts in the big association have been placed. The [illegible] probably has done less injury than was at first feared. The bulk of the crop was in the trays and protected.

Raising are doing something, especially for immediate needs.

Potatoes are firm for good to choice. Onions cost more to lay down and are sharply advanced in a jobbing way. Other vegetables generally are firm. Alfalfa has done the celery crop a great benefit. In two weeks it will be in its prime.

Beans are rather slow. The rain has checked any further decline for the moment. How it may be in the future is not apparent here yet.

Barley is firm. Oats are becoming scarce. Most of it has been shipped East.

Poultry is active for live and dressed. Turkeys are coming in freely. They are in a small way for about $1 each. Turkeys are meeting with a ready sale.

Fresh fish are very scarce.

Eggs and all their products are without the least change. The very best eastern is selling at 25 per barrel, and $1 per sack to the consumer.

Provisions are weak, with lower prices on hams, lard and dry salt meats.

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Dried Fruits, Nuts and Raisins.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, evaporated, choice, 7@8; apricots, 10@11; peaches, fancy, 6@6½; choice, 5@5½; prunes, fancy, 4½@5; pitted cha[illegible] fancy evaporated, 6@7; choice, 5@5½; prunes, choice, 4½@5; per lb., 6@7; sacks, California, 6@6; California, black, 5@6; imported Smyrnas, 1[illegible]

RAISINS—Fancy Clusters, per box, 2.60; London layers, per box, 1.60@2.00; loose, 5@6½; Muscatels, 4@6; Almonds, paper-shell, 14; softshell, 11; Brazils, 7@8; filberts, 12@13; walnuts, raw, eastern, 9½; raw, California, 9½; roasted, 11; California, roasted, 9@10; walnuts, softshell, 12½@13; hardshell, 9@10; pecans, New Mexico, 7.

VEGETABLES, Onions and Vegetables.

POTATOES—Per ctl., new, choice to fancy, 1.40@1.75; fair to good, 1.25@1.35; sweets, 1.60@[illegible]

ONIONS—New, per central, 1.40@1.75.

CELERY—Per dozen, per bunch, 30@35; cabbage, per lb., dry chilies, per string, 10@[illegible]; carrots, eggs per cwt.; green peas, 4@5; radishes, per dozen, [illegible]

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BUSINESS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

OFFICE OF THE TIMES
Los Angeles, Oct. 30, 1901.

FINANCIAL.

PUBLIC DEBT OF GERMANY. The public debt of the German empire at present time amounts to $606,424,000.

DIRECTORS HELD RESPONSIBLE. The cashier of the Middlesex Banking Company at Perth Amboy, N. J., defaulted for $300,000. The courts have held the directors responsible for the money. It was shown that the cashier had monthly overdrew his accounts, and the directors knew and never objected the least protest in the matter.

COMMERCIAL.

RICE, 15 CENTS. The price of Mascarene is up to 16 cents per pound.

PRUNE WILL BE HIGHER. The prune growers in the northern part of the State received from $25 to $32 per ton for wet prunes. A ton of grapes makes from 125 to 140 gallons of wine. Adding the cost of labor and it must appear that new wine, naked, will be worth not less than about 25 cents per gallon.

GENERAL BUSINESS TOPICS.

GERMAN SUGAR. The Central Verein Für Die Zucker-Industrie estimates Europe's production of sugar as follows: Germany, 2,125,000,000 pounds; Austria, 1,225,000,000 pounds; France, 1,000,000,000 pounds; Russia, 1,000,000,000 pounds; Belgium, 350,000,000 pounds; Holland, 200,000,000 pounds, and other countries, 450,000,000 pounds; total, 6,350,000,000 pounds, against 6,069,000,000 pounds last year.

EXPECTING BETTER WHEAT PRICES. It is reported that Boston wheat shippers are allowing export grain to remain on the steamers and will be brought back to this country and sold again to its destination, says the dispatch, in the expectation of some improvement in the grain situation in the meantime. The Furness steamer Columbian, which left London Wednesday, will bring back a good portion of her outward cargo of 6,000 bushels of wheat. The Virginian, of the same line, which sailed from Boston on October 6 for London, will also bring back 16,000 bushels of wheat which she carried out. The Furness steamer Appomattox, operating between Newport News and London, is also coming westward with 40,000 out of 60,000 bushels of grain shipped. This state of affairs is due in part to excessive low trans-Atlantic freight rates prevailing and partly to the scarcity of warehouses on the other side. London storage room being scarce, outside warehouses ask prohibitive prices for their space, so that it proves to be cheaper to hold grain in the vessels, using it for ballast. Most of the grain now returning was shipped before it had actually been sold, and was stored to cover previous carrying charges.

COPPER MOVEMENT. John Stanton, the copper statistician, reports the output of copper in September by forty-five reporting mines as 18,080 tons, as compared with 17,986 tons in September, 1900. The amount produced by outside sources is estimated at 7,000 tons, against 8,000 tons the same month last year, and the amount produced by foreign reporting mines 9477 tons, against 7,160 tons last year. Exports for September amounted to 6419 tons, against 10,425 tons for the same month last year.

CITRUS-FRUIT SHIPMENTS. There were shipped from Southern California during the week three car loads of oranges and three of lemons. The total shipments for the season, November 1, 1900, to date are 20,075 carloads, of which 2936 are lemons.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKETS.

Whatever may be the outcome during the winter, there is no improvement yet in the dried-fruit market in a wholesale way. Canned fruits are active and firm, but buyers seem still indifferent to the cured fruit. All statistical considerations point to an active demand as probable, but it does not develop.

About half the walnuts in the big association have been placed. The rain probably has done less injury than was at first feared. The bulk of the crop is in the trays and protected.

Buyers are doing something, but only for immediate needs.

Potatoes are firm for good to choice, some cost more to lay down and are sharply advanced in a jobbing way. Vegetables generally are firm. The market has done the celery crop a good benefit. In two weeks it will be out of prime.

Beans are rather slow. The rain has not had any further decline for the time. How it may be in the long run is not apparent here yet. The rain to the Limas by the rain was not great, as no one yet knows how great. Eggs and cheese are all withdrawn. The tone is firm.

Eggs are scarce, in active demand and firm.

Oranges are slow, but firm for good to choice, bananas and cranberries are active and firm.

Lemons are scarce.

Apples are far past their prime. Quality now scarce since the rain. Market is firm for choice to fancy at $3 per box, the latter for extra fine in a few cases. Alfalfa is very scarce and wanted.

Barley is firm. Oats are becoming scarce. Most of it has been shipped out.

Hay is active for live and dressed. Stock coming in freely. They sell their way for about $1 each. Turkeys are meeting with fair sale.

Eggs are very scarce.

Honey and all their products are with the least change. The very best is selling at $5 per barrel, f. o. b. sack to the consumer.

Potatoes are weak, with lower prices.

Hams, lard and dry salt meats moving slowly. Bee men report selling as high as 6 cents for honey, f. o. b. California. That is a fair price jobbing in this city.

Fruits, Nuts and Raisins.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, evaporated, choice to fancy, 9@11; peaches, fancy, 9@10½; pears, fancy evaporated, 6@7½; pitted cherries, 7½@8; prunes, choice, 4@5; dates, 5; figs, sacks, California, per lb., 6@7; California, black, per lb.; California, fancy layers, per lb., 6@8; Smyrna, 8.

RAISINS—Fancy Clusters, per box, 2.00; London Layers, per box, 1.65@2.00; loose, 5@7½ per lb.; Valencias, 9@10.

NUTS—Almonds, paper-shell, 14; softshell, 12; Brazils, 14@14; filberts, 12@14; walnuts, eastern, 9½; roasted, 11; California, new, 9½; California, fancy raw, selected, 10@11; walnuts, softshell, 10@11; hardshell, first grade, 9½; New Mexico, 7.

Fruits, Onions and Vegetables.

ONIONS—Per ctl., new, choice to fancy, 1.00 to good, 1.25@1.35; sweets, 1.00@1.25.

POTATOES—New, per central, 1.65@1.75.

VEGETABLES—Beets, per cwt., 30@35; cabbage, 1½; carrots, 60@65 per cwt.; green peas, 2½ per lb.; dry chiles, per string, 90@1.00 per doz.; dry parsnips, 1.25@1.35 per 100 lbs.; green peas, 4@5; radishes, per dozen bunches, 25; string beans, 5@6; turnips, 50@60 per cwt.; garlic, 6@6½; tomatoes, 50@65; asparagus, per lb., 8@9; summer squash, per box, 40@45; cucumbers, per box, 40@45.

Beans.

BEANS — Pink, 2.90@3.00; Lima, 5.00@5.25; Lady Washington, 2.90@3.00; white, small, 4.00@4.10.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

BUTTER—Fancy Board of Trade creamery, per square, 27½; southern creamery, 25@27½; dairy, 20@22½; Coast creamery, 25.

EGGS—Per doz., fresh ranch, 32; eastern, 22@24.

CHEESE—California, Downey or Anchor, per lb., 15½; California, Young America, per lb., 16½; California, 3-lb. hand, per lb., 17½; Coast, full cream, per lb., 13½@14; domestic Swiss, per lb., 17@17½; imported Swiss, per lb., 27; Edam, fancy, per doz., 9.50; Martin's New York cream, per lb., 15½@16; Wisconsin, full cream, per lb., 15½@16; Magaw, 15@15½.

Fresh Fruits and Berries.

LEMONS — Per box, choice to fancy, 2.00; extra, 1.00@1.25.

ORANGES—Valencias, 2.00@2.50.

LIMES—Per doz., 1.00.

COCOANUTS—Per doz., 90@1.00.

PINEAPPLES—Per doz., 4.00@5.00.

GRAPE FRUIT—Per box, 1.50@1.75.

STRAWBERRIES — Per box, common, 75@; fancy, 90@.

BLACKBERRIES—Per box, 90@.

PEACHES—Per lb., 2½@4.

APPLES—Choice, 1.00@1.25.

GRAPES—Per box, 75@1.50.

BANANAS—Per bunch, 2.25@2.50.

CRANBERRIES—Per bbl., 9.50@9.75.

Hay and Grain.

BARLEY—Mill price, 70@75.

OATS—Jobbing price, 1.45@1.50.

CORN—1.55.

HAY—New barley, 5.00@10.00; alfalfa, 8.00@9.00; loose, 7.00@9.00.

WHEAT—Mill price, per central, 1.10@1.15.

Live Stock.

HOGS—Per cwt., 5.00@4.50.

CATTLE—Per cwt., 2.75@4.00 for prime steers; 2.00@2.75 for cows and heifers; calves, 4.50@5.00.

SHEEP—Per head, wethers, 4.00@4.50; ewes, 3.00@3.50; lambs, 2.00@2.50.

Poultry.

POULTRY—Dealers pay live weight for stock in good condition: 10@11 per lb. for poultry; ducks, 8@9; for turkeys, 12@14; geese, 8@10.

Fresh Meats.

BEEF—Per lb., 6½@7.

VEAL—8@10.

MUTTON—Per lb., 7½; lamb, 8.

PORK—Per lb., 9½.

Flour and Feedstuffs.

FLOUR—Per bbl., local extra roller process, 3.00@3.50; northern, 3.60; eastern, Pillsbury's Best, 5.00; other brands, 3.75@4.50; graham flour, 1.35 per 100 lbs.

FEEDSTUFFS — Bran, per ton, 22.00; rolled barley, 24.00; cracked corn, 1.60 per cwt.

Provisions.

HAMS—Per lb., Rex, 13½; Gilbert, 12½; picnic, 10@10½; Winchester, medium, 15½; do., light, 14; Premium, 14½; skinned, 14½@14½; 40's, 12½@13½; Gold Band, 12½.

DRY SALT PORK—Per lb., clear bellies, 12½@13; short clears, 11½@12½; clear backs, 11@12½.

DRIED BEEF—Per lb., insides, 15@17½.

PICKLED BEEF—Per bbl., 15.00; rump butts, 17.00.

PICKLED PORK—Per bbl., Sunderland, 13.50.

BACON — Per lb., Rex Breakfast, 14@14½; mild cured do., 12@13½; special fancy, 16; bacon backs, 12½; Winchester, medium, 13½@14; light, 15; Empire, 16½; Premium, 17; 40's, medium, 14@14½; light, 15; Gold Band, 17½.

LARD—Pure, per lb., Silver Leaf, tierces, 12; 50-lb. tins, 12½; 20s, 12¾; 10s, 13; 5s, 13½; Rex, tierces, 11½; 50s, 11½; 20s, 11½; 10s, 12; 5s, 12½; 2s, 12¾; White Label, tierces, 12; 50s, 12½; 10s, 12¾; 5s, 13; 2s, 13½.

Honey and Beeswax.

HONEY—Per lb., in comb, frames, 11@12½; extracted, 5@6.

BEESWAX—Per lb., 21@22.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

SHARES AND MONEY.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—The volume of dealings fell off still further today and were again congested in a few stocks, in which there was rather obvious manipulation. The manipulation was for the advance, but its effect was confined to the leading active stocks, and so far as any notable results were concerned. The general list was sluggish and hesitating, and fluctuated narrowly throughout. The coolers were taken in hand for an upward movement, the conflicted buying of the group being based on the reports of very heavy demand and a traffic only limited by the car supply of the companies, while prices are firmly maintained near the maximum of recent years. The high-priced members of the group gained from 2¾ to 3 points, and those selling under par rose about 1 point, the small remainder of the recent show of strength. And was followed as usual by the Pacific stocks, to the extent of between one and two points. There was another demonstration in the Vanderbilt also, today, but its influence did not extend very effectively outside of that group. Amalgamated Copper continued active and somewhat irregular above yesterday's level, in unconfirmed rumors circulated of possible incorporation of Calumet and Hecla. Manhattan and Sugar helped out the show of strength. The determination to take a cheerful view of the gold export movement, which was increased today to a total of $2,850,000, was apparently based on the idea that the relief afforded to the foreign situation will be reflected back upon this market. There is some assurance felt also that the movement will be checked after tomorrow's shipments. This feeling will be emphasized if the Bank of England maintains its discount rate unchanged tomorrow, as now seems possible, judging from the freedom with which the bank discounted today at the current rate. The favorable subscriptions announced yesterday for New York City bonds are taken as reassuring regarding money market conditions, and the release of November 1 disbursements, including government interest, is looked to tide over next week. Some currency is returning from the West, and the transfers to the South have diminished. Receipts of gold from the Pacific Coast through the subtreasury have served to lighten the decline of the institution upon the money market. With surplus reserves at a figure well above that of last year, and a year before anxiety over the money-market outlook tends to relax, and the sentiment is expressed that the gold shipment can well be spared. After a very irregular movement, the market closed firm, in the neighborhood of the best prices. Railroad bonds were only moderately active, and showed irregular changes. Total sales, par value, $2,680,000. United States bonds were all unchanged on the last call.

Closing Stocks—Actual Sales.

Atchison	76	So. Railway	32¾
Atchison pfd	96¾	So. Railway pfd	86¾
Baltimore & Ohio.	105¾	Texas & Pacific...	39½
B. & O. pfd.....	9½	T., St. L. & W. ...	30½
Canadian Pacific..	110	T., St. L. & W. pfd.	65
Canada Southern..	85½	Union Pacific	101¾
Chesa. & Ohio....	45¾	Union Pac. pfd....	89
Chicago & Alton..	34¾	Wabash	23¾
C. & Alton pfd....	77	Wabash pfd	46¾
C., I. & L.	40¾	Wheeling & L. E.	17¾
C., I. & L. pfd....	72	W. & L. E. 2d pfd	73½
C. & E. Illinois..	158	Wis. Cen.	20¾
Chicago & G. W....	25	Wis. Cen. pfd....	40¾
C. & G. W. "A"....	17¾	Express Co's—	
C. & G. W. "B"....	49	Adams	185
Chicago Ter	20¾	American	190
Chicago Ter. pfd..	37	United States	90
C. C. C. & St. L..	69¾	Wells-Fargo	160
Colo. Southern	13¾	Miscellaneous—	
Colo. So. 1st pfd..	53½	Amal. Copper	86¼
Colo. So. 2d pfd...	29¾	Am. Car & F.	35
Del. & Hudson....	173	Am. C. & F. pfd..	110
D., L. & W.	354	Am. Linseed Oil..	17
Denver & R. G.	44¾	Am. Lin. Oil pfd.	47
D. & R. G. pfd....	93¾	Am. S. & R.	43¾
Erie	39¾	Am. S. & R. pfd..	95½
Erie 1st pfd.....	70	Anaconda M. Co..	35
Erie 2d pfd.....	76¾	Brooklyn R. T....	56¾
Great N. pfd.....	194	Colo. Fuel & I....	48
Hocking Valley	55½	Con. Gas	213½
Hock. Val. pfd....	76¼	Cont'l Tob. pfd...	114¾
Illinois Central ..	135	Gen. Electric	256
Iowa Central	46¾	Glucose Sugar	38½
Iowa Cen. pfd....	77½	Int'l Paper	19¾
Lake Erie & W....	29¾	Int'l Paper pfd...	73¾
L. E. & W. pfd...	125	Int'l Power	85½
Louis. & Nash....	103¾	Laclede Gas	92½
Manhattan L.	121¾	Nat'l Biscuit	101½
Met. St. Ry.....	155¾	Nat'l Lead	20¾
Mexican Central..	22¾	Nat'l Salt	21¾
Mexican Nat'l	13¾	Nat'l Salt pfd....	86
Minn. & St. L....	100½	North American..	56
Missouri Pacific..	99½	Pacific Coast	69
M., K. & Texas....	29¾	Pacific Mail	39½
M., K. & T. pfd..	56¼	People's Gas	104¾
N. Y. Central.....	158	P. Steel Car.....	40¾
Norfolk & W.....	54½	P. S. R. Car pfd..	83¼
N. & W. pfd.....	84¾	Pull. Palace Car..	215
North. Pac. pfd..	104	Republic Steel	14½
Ontario & W.....	34¾	Rep. Steel pfd....	68¼
Pennsylvania	146¾	Sugar	118¾
Reading	43¼	Tenn. Coal & I....	59¾
Reading 1st pfd...	77½	Union Bag & P....	14
Reading 2d pfd....	74¾	Union Bag pfd....	71
St. Louis & S. F..	41¾	U. S. Leather	12
St. L. & S. F. 1st pfd.....	76	U. S. L. pfd.....	80¾
St. L. & S. F. 2d pfd.....	65¾	U. S. Rubber.....	15
St. Louis S. W....	26¾	U. S. Rub. pfd....	48
St. L. S. W. pfd..	68¾	U. S. Steel	41¾
St. Paul	170¾	U. S. Steel pfd....	90¾
St. Paul pfd.....	191	Western Union	91¾
Southern Pacific..	49¼		

Total sales for the day, 243,000 shares.

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Money—		Union Land	2¼
Call loans	3@4	West End	93½
Time loans	4@4½	W. Electric	71
Stocks—		Bonds—	
A., T. & S. F....	77¾	Atchison 4s	83
Atchison pfd	96¾	Mining shares—	
Am. Sugar	118¾	Adventure	22¾
Am. Telephone	157	Bingham M. Co....	23½
Boston & Albany..	257	Amal. Copper	86¾
Boston & Main..	193	Atlantic	26
Boston & Maine..	193	C. & Hecla	655@660
Dominion Coal	48	Centennial	17
Dom. Coal pfd....	118	Franklin	16½
U. S. Steel	41¾	Humboldt	50
U. S. Steel pfd....	90¾	Osceola	99
Fitchburg pfd	144½	Parrot	37
Mexican Central..	22	Quincy	138
N. E. G. & C....	4½	Tamarack	280
Old Colony	206½	Utah Mining	27½
Old Dominion	27	Wilmona	5¼
Rubber	14¾	Wolverines	53½
Union Pacific	101¾		

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U. S. R. 2s coup..	106½	Mex. Cen. 4s.....	82
U. S. 3s reg.....	107½	Mex. C. 1st inc..	22
U. S. 3s coup....	108½	M. St. L. 4s....	102¼
U. S. n. 4s reg...	127½	M. K. & T. 4s....	99¾
U. S. n. 4s coup..	128½	M. K. & T. 2ds..	79
U. S. old 4s reg..	111¾	N. Y. C. 1sts.....	106¾
U. S. old 4s coup..	111¾	N. Y. C. G. 3½s..	108½
U. S. 5s reg.....	106½	N. J. C. Gen. 5s..	137
U. S. 5s coup.....	107½	N. P. 3s	70¾
Atchison, Gen. 4s.	100¾	N. P. 4s	104¼
Atchison, Adj. 4s.	97½	N. P. 3s	72¾
B. & O. 4s.....	102¾	N. & W. Con. 4s..	102¾
B. & O. 3½s.....	97¾	Reading Gen. 4s..	97¾
B. & O. 5½s.....	107½	St. L. & I. M. 5s.	111¼
B. & O. Conv. 4s.	107	St. L. & S. F. 4s.	96
Can. So. 2ds.....	108½	St. L. & S. W. 1sts	98¾
Cen. of Ga. 5s....	107½	St. L. & S. W. 2ds.	79
C. of G. 1st Inc..	71½	S. A. & A. P. 4s..	87¾
C. & O. 4½s.....	108	So. Pacific 4s....	89¼
C. & A. 3½s.....	84¾	So. Railway 5s....	119¾
C., B. & Q. 4s....	99½	T. & P. 1sts.....	113¾
C. M. & St. P. 4s.	110¾	T. St. L. & W....	81¾
C. & N. W. 7s....	139	Union Pacific 4s..	105¾
C. R. I. & P....	106¼	U. P. Conv. 4s....	104¾
C. C. C. & St. L..	104	Wabash 1sts	120¾
Chicago Ter. 4s..	93	Wabash 2ds	110¾
Colo. & So. 4s....	88	Wabash Deb. B..	75
D. & R. G. 4s....	102¾	West Shore 4s....	113¾
Erie prior lien 4s.	99	W. & L. E. 4s....	93¾
Erie Gen. 4s.....	87¾	Wis. Cen. 4s.....	94
Fort Worth 1sts..	107	Cont'l Tob. pfd...	63½
Hock. Val. 4½s...	107		

London Financial Market.

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—The Commercial Advertiser's London financial cablegram says: "Forced liquidation has apparently ceased, and as a result, the stock market had a more cheerful tone today. Opinion is much divided as to whether the Bank of England will increase the minimum discount rate tomorrow. Some say that it will be 3½ per cent., others that it will be unchanged. American stocks are improving and hopeful of an early settlement of Northern Pacific affairs. The close was strong, with the coolers leading."

New York Money.

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—Close—Money on call steady at 3½@4 per cent.; last loan, 3½@4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 4½@5 per cent. Sterling exchange steadier, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.86¾ for demand and at 4.83¼@4.83¾ for sixty days. Posted rates, 4.84½ and 4.87¼. Commercial bills, 4.82¾@4.83¼. Bar silver, 57¾. Mexican dollars, 45¼. Government bonds, steady; State bonds, inactive; railroad bonds, irregular.

GENERAL EASTERN MARKETS

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Oct. 30.—Weakness in wheat cables and continued reports of heavy rains in Argentina had a depressing influence today and encouraged short sellers. The cash business was also slow, and both Northwestern and primary receipts were considerable in excess. This brought an opening for December ½ to ¾ lower, at 70¾. Only the gaining strength in the corn pit prevented a slump in wheat, for in the face of these bearish tendencies, December sold to 70¾. Later, when dullness was more pronounced, it sagged back quickly to 71¼. The outside markets were doing very little business, and December was the weaker future, ruling ¾ to ⅞ lower than May. Late in the day there was a small reaction on export news, and December was 1 lower, at 70¾@70¾. Corn was strong as the result of light receipts and firm cables which frightened the short interest and influenced December. December oats opened unchanged, fluctuated narrowly, and closed steady, ¼ higher. Provisions were more active than any time previous. There was an early small demand which kept prices up, despite a sagging hog market. Later everything turned dull, and January pork closed unchanged; lard, 2½c higher.

The leading futures closed as follows:

Wheat, No. 2—	Closing.
October	69¾@69¾
December	70¾@70¼
May	73¾
Corn, No. 2—	
October	56½
May	57½
December	53¾
Oats, No. 2—	
October	36½
December	28¾
May	29¾

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour was easy; No. 3 spring wheat, 69¼@69¾; No. 2 red, 71¼@72; No. 2 yellow corn, 58¾; No. 2 corn, 57½@57¾; No. 2 oats, 29½@29¾; No. 3 white, 33¼@40; No. 2 rye, 55¾; fair to choice malting barley, 54@58; No. 1 flax seed, 1.51; No. 1 northwestern, 1.56; prime timothy seed, 3.75@3.80; mess pork, per bbl., 13.40@13.50; lard, per 100 lbs., 6.70@6.72½; short ribs, sides (loose,) 7.00@8.10; dry salted shoulders (boxed,) 7½@7¾; short clear sides (boxed,) 8.25@8.40; whisky, basis of high wines, 1.30.

Grain Movements.

Articles—	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	49,000	19,000
Wheat, bushels	216,000	168,000
Corn, "	166,000	234,000
Oats, "	284,000	144,000
Rye, "	11,000	.....
Barley, "	126,000	21,000

At the Produce Exchange today the butter market was steady; creamery, 16@21½; dairy, 12@19; cheese, steady, 9¾@10¾. Eggs, firm; fresh, 19½.

Closing Figures.

CHICAGO, Oct. 30.—Close: Wheat—October, 69¾@69¾; December, 70¾@70½; May, 73¾. Corn—October, 56½; December, 57¼. Oats—October, 36½; December, 30¾. Pork—October, 13.30; January, 8.70. Ribs—October, 8.10; January, 7.70. Flax, 1.50. Rye, 54. Barley, 54@59. Timothy, 5.85.

New York Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—Tin was firmer today in New York and London, but trading was very light and only of a hand-to-mouth nature. The former market closed firm in tone at 24.85@25.00, while at the latter place values advanced 5s for spot and futures. Copper values in London gained 7s 6d today on lighter buying orders and closed firm. Locally the market was dull and nominally quoted at 16.25@17.00 for lake and 14¾@16¾ for casting and electrolytic. Lead was dull here at 4.37½, but 5s lower at London. Spelter was quiet at New York at 4.37½ for spot. London was unchanged. Domestic iron markets ruled rather quiet and nominally unchanged. Pig iron warrants, 9.50@10.50; northern foundry, 15.00@16.00; No. 2 foundry, southern, 14.00@15.00; No. 1 foundry, southern, soft, 14.50@16.00.

New York General Markets.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—Wheat, spot easy; options closed fairly steady, ¼ to ¾ net lower; March closed 73½; May, 70@70¾; October, 70¾; December, 70¼. Hops, steady. Hides, firm. Wool, steady. Coffee, spot Rio steady; No. 7 invoice, 6 11-16; mild, quiet; Cordova, 7¼@11. Coffee futures closed with a net advance of five points, with the tone steady. Sales, 46,250 bags, including November, 5.15; December, 5.15@5.25; March, 5.40@5.45; April, 5.55@5.60; May, 5.70@5.75; September, 7.05@7.10. Sugar quiet; fair refining, 3 15-16; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 13-16; molasses sugar, 3 1-16; refined quiet.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—Butter—Receipts, 4249 packages; quiet; State dairy, 14@21; creamery, 19@22; June creamery, 17½@21½; factory, 12½@18. Eggs—Receipts, 6546 packages; steady; State and Pennsylvania, 22@23; western candled, 19@22; western, uncandled, 19@21½.

California Dried Fruit.

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—Evaporated apples firm; State, common to good, 6@8; prime, 7½; choice, 9; fancy, 9¼@9¾. California dried fruits inactive. Prunes, 3¾@7. Apricots, Royal, 8¼@13; Moorpark, 16@18. Peaches, peeled, 10@13; unpeeled, 6@8.

New York Sugar.

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—Sugar, raw, quiet; fair refining, 3 5-16; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 1-16; molasses sugar, 3 1-16; refined quiet; crushed, 5.60; powdered, 5.20; granulated, 5.10.

St. Louis Wool Market.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 30.—Wool dull; Territory and western mediums, 14@15½; fine, 11@15½; coarse, 13@15.

Portland Wheat Market.

PORTLAND (Or.) Oct. 30.—Wheat, Walla Walla, 65@65½; blue stem, 66; valley, 66½.

Tacoma Wheat Market.

TACOMA (Wash.) Oct. 30.—Wheat, ½c lower; blue stem, 65½; club, 64½.

New York Cotton.

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—Cotton futures closed unsteady, 9@11 points lower.

Oil Transactions.

OIL CITY (Pa.) Oct. 30.—Credit balances, 130; certificates, no bid.

Liverpool Cotton.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 30.—Cotton, uplands, 4 5-16d.

London Silver.

LONDON, Oct. 30.—Consols, 29¼; silver, 26⅝.

EASTERN LIVE-STOCK MARKETS.

KANSAS CITY QUOTATIONS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 30.—Cattle—Receipts, 10,000; steady to shade lower; native beef steers, 4.90@6.40; Texas steers, 2.50@3.60; native cows and heifers, 2.65@5.25; stockers and feeders, 2.50@4.25; bulls, 2.25@3.75; calves, 3.00@5.00. Hogs—Receipts, 15,000; 5c lower; bulk of sales, 4.55@4.95; heavy, 4.90@4.95; packers, 4.60@5.95; mixed, 4.60@4.90; light, 4.30@4.85; porkers, 3.25@5.75; pigs, 4.50@5.15. Sheep—Receipts, 4500; steady; muttons, 3.00@3.75; lambs, 3.75@4.85; range wethers, 3.25@3.60; ewes, 3.00@3.40; stockers and feeders, 1.50@3.25.

Omaha Live-stock Markets.

OMAHA, Oct. 30.—Cattle—Receipts, 3000; active, stronger; native beef steers, 4.75@5.75; Texas steers, 3.00@4.40; canners, 1.50@2.75; stockers and feeders, 2.75@4.40; calves, 2.00@5.00; bulls, stags, etc., 2.00@3.75. Hogs—Receipts, 6400; 5c lower; closed strong; heavy, 5.10@5.20; mixed, 5.00@5.12½; light, 5.05@5.12½; pigs, 5.00@5.05; bulk of sales, 5.00@5.12½. Sheep—Receipts, 5200; active, stronger; wethers, 3.50@3.80; ewes, 3.00@3.50; common and stock sheep, 2.75@3.50; lambs, 3.25@4.50.

Denver Live-stock Market

DENVER, Oct. 30.—Cattle—Receipts, 300; strong; beef steers, 4.00@4.30; cows, 2.50@3.25; stockers and feeders, freight paid, 3.00@4.00; bulls, stags, etc., 2.00@3.00. Hogs—Receipts, 600; light packers, 5.00@5.35; mixed and heavy, 5.32½@5.37½. No sheep.

Chicago Live-stock Market.

CHICAGO, Oct. 30.—Cattle—Receipts, 21,000; beef cattle slow; cows slow; good to prime steers, 4.00@5.80; poor to medium, 3.30@5.70; stockers and feeders, 2.00@4.25; cows, 1.25@4.10; heifers, 2.25@5.00; canners, 1.25@2.35; bulls, 2.00@4.10; calves, 3.00@6.25; Texas-fed steers, 3.00@4.30; western steers, 3.60@5.15. Hogs—Receipts, 30,000; 5 to 10c lower; closing at bottom; mixed and butchers', 5.75@4.20; good to choice heavy, 5.80@6.22½; rough heavy, 5.80@5.70; light, 5.75@5.90; bulk of sales, 5.75@5.90.

Receipts.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 30.—Receipts—Flour, quarter sacks, 10,726; Washington, 2056; wheat, centals, 26,770; barley, centals, 260,182; oats, 610; beans, sacks, 4245; corn, centals, 80; potatoes, sacks, 2080; onions, sacks, 248; bran, sacks, 610; Washington, 2448; middlings, sacks, 370; hay, tons, 725; hops, bales, 40; flax, sacks, 6; Washington, 480; wool, bales, 332; hides, number, 483; raisins, boxes, 2500; quicksilver, flasks, 8; wine, gallons, 47,000.

Drafts and Silver.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 30.—Silver bars, 57¾; Mexican dollars, 47@47½; drafts—sight, 10; telegraph, 12½.

SUCCESSFUL IN ART.

Los Angeles Man Who Studied in Europe, to Paint a Miniature of the Late ex-President Grant.

George Cole, a Los Angeles

San Bernardino and Riverside Counties.

GEM OF "GERNALISM" SPRUNG IN RIVERSIDE.

"SLATS," OF THE PRESS, ESSAYS "EXPLANATION."

Calls Names and Says the Sheet "is a Republican Paper"—Horticultural Club Discusses Proposed Experiment Station—Capture of Alleged Rapist.

RIVERSIDE, Oct. 30.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] The most truly journalistic gem ever put in type in Riverside county is an editorial headed, "A Word of Explanation," which appeared in last night's Press. It seems to have been written principally for the purpose of calling names at The Times reporter. When one is dealing with a man, he knows what to do. He can either lick him, or get licked. But when one is up against a mongrel-canine conglomeration of asininity, femininity, hypocricy and damphoolism, mixed together in equal parts to represent an emasculated specimen of the human form, in the shape of an interrogation point, it would be a sin to even slap its face.

Concerning the editorial "explanation," The Press, edited by E. P. Clarke, otherwise "Slats," "regrets to see some other papers misled by accepting The Times as authority" for the statement, in effect, that during the last campaign, it, the Press, was a treacherous sheet, espousing, as openly as it dared, the cause of J. F. Crowe, the Democratic nominee for Superior Judge, and all the while secretly knifing in the back Judge Noyes, the Republican nominee, who was elected by a handsome majority. The Press in its "explanation" further says that after Judge Noyes had been nominated, "not a line appeared in the Press in opposition." It might be added that not a line appeared in Judge Noyes's favor, and that on election day the employés of the Press were asked to vote for Crowe, and that all but two of them did so. The "explanation" winds up with a peroration that is a peach. Says "Slats:" "The Republican party of Riverside county had better turn its face toward the future, instead of toward the past."

No one will deny this, when the past of the Press is considered. Further on, the "explanation" sets forth that the mass of the party believe in Republicanism, wherein the mass seem to differ from the Press, except occasionally. They (the mass,) we are told, "are willing to forget and forgive for the sake of party harmony and success at home and prestige abroad."

Holty-toity.

In The "explanation" concludes with a paragraph, which opens with the surprising statement that "the Press is a Republican paper."

With remarkable unanimity, the country press of this section has extended editorial congratulations to the Enterprise, the recognized organ of the Republican party of Riverside city since the recent journalistic "shake-up, whereby "Slats" and his family were relegated everlastingly to the background.

"SLATS" GROVELING IN THE DUST

[Extract from the Riverside Press (editorial) Oct. 23.]

The Press is a Republican paper. Since 'tis the somewhat erratic career of the paper under L. M. Holt, it has been recognized as a loyal party organ. Its record on that score stands open to inspection, and whatever may be said of its various editors in all these years, they have all been consistent Republicans, and they certainly never made four distinct political flops in as many years.

HORTICULTURAL CLUB.

An interesting and instructive meeting of the Riverside Horticultural Club was held last evening at the residence of W. E. Atwater. E. L. Koethen referred to establishing an experiment station here. He read a letter from a member of the Bureau of Plant Industry at Washington, stating that before any action can be taken, it will be necessary to get an appropriation and authorization from Congress. Mr. Koethen also read a paper giving some reasons why an experiment station is needed. Senator Bard was reported as favorable to the project, and a committee, consisting of E. L. Koethen, M. J. Daniels and E. W. Holmes was appointed to take the necessary steps to get the matter in form to present to Congress. Prof. Zumbro, of the High School, read a paper on the study of practical botany in the public schools. The question of protection against frost was informally discussed. The sentiment seemed to be general that it will take another severe frost to waken up people owning orchards in exposed places to the danger.

ALLEGED RAPIST CAUGHT.

Rafael Caparisto of Rincon, who is charged with criminally assaulting a fifteen-year-old Mexican girl last Saturday, was located yesterday by Deputy Sheriff Brown at Arlington, arrested and locked up in the County Jail. Caparisto lives in a shack near Rincon, where he is said to have accomplished his purpose on the girl. He is said to have done this several times, keeping the girl quiet by threats, but the facts became known and a warrant was issued for the arrest of Caparisto, who made himself scarce and remained in concealment several days, notwithstanding diligent search on the part of the officers. His preliminary hearing took place this morning at Corona.

BOTH CLAIM THE LAND.

W. M. Thomas has brought suit against J. F. Tibbet to recover possession of deeds to property which he claims he owns. According to the complaint, Thomas went to the Hawaiian Islands in 1899, leaving some real estate in this vicinity owned by him in the hands of Tibbet to sell. To expedite matters, Thomas deeded the property to Tibbet. He alleges that on returning two years later, and finding that the property had not been sold he asked to have it deeded back to him, which Tibbets refused to do, on the ground that he had paid for the land in various sums named in the deeds.

RIVERSIDE BREVITIES.

The directors of the Chamber of Commerce met this afternoon to prepare for the reception and entertainment of the eastern passenger agents, who will visit Riverside on November 11.

A company of lady friends tendered Mrs. Gilbert Liddell a pleasant surprise party yesterday afternoon at her home on North street, on the occasion of her birthday anniversary.

A party of Pennsylvania tourists, who are touring the Coast, spent yesterday here.

Mrs. George Thayer and Mrs. Burlingame of Cucamonga, are here for a short stay.

George A. Cover and family have returned from an extended eastern trip.

Mr. and Mrs. George F. Seger went to Elsinore today for a short stay.

Mrs. W. D. Camfi and children of Rialto, are visiting friends here.

SAN BERNARDINO.

FRACTURED EIGHT RIBS.

SAN BERNARDINO, Oct. 30.—[From The Times' Correspondent.] Joseph Turner was badly injured as the result of an accident yesterday afternoon while at work on the Severance ranch north of town. Driving into the barn with a load of baled hay, he misjudged the height of the doorway entrance and was caught between the hay and the lintel of the doors. Eight ribs were broken and he sustained other internal injuries.

SAN BENARDINO BREVITIES.

Benjamin Cave and T. H. Sharpless of Redlands, yesterday purchased the J. G. Sloan property on D street, with a frontage of fifty feet, for $6500. A month ago the property could have been purchased for $5000.

A. C. Harvey has brought suit against D. Roach and wife to recover a strip of land, forty feet wide, lying between the Harvey and Roach ranches at Mission. The respective owners have already come to blows over the possession of the strip.

Rt. Rev. J. H. Johnson, bishop of the Episcopal diocese of Los Angeles, was in the city today, conferring with the vestry of St. John's Church with reference to securing a rector for the local parish.

ONTARIO.

REALTY MARKET ACTIVE.

ONTARIO, Oct. 30.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] There is a greater demand for real estate, improved and unimproved, in this city at present than has been the case in many years. Persons who have houses for rent can secure almost their own terms. Tourists are beginning to arrive and a season of unequaled prosperity is expected in this colony. Many of the newcomers intend to make their homes here. Within the last two days J. D. Anderson of Indiana purchased of I. C. Woods a ten-acre citrus-fruit grove on West Fifth street for $6500. C. E. Harwood has sold two lots on East B street to T. E. Hanson and George Ingraham has bought two lots on East A street of C. E. Harwood. Buildings will be erected at once on these lots.

ONTARIO BREVITIES.

Mr. and Mrs. John Krouchi and son, who have been visiting at the home of N. Krouchi for the past few months, left this morning for their home in Clay county, Ind.

W. L. Malone, president of the Bullion Mountain Gold Mining and Milling Company, left this afternoon for the mines.

Mr. Allen, who lives on Twenty-fourth street, near Euclid avenue, died this morning.

REDLANDS.

CAPTURED AT LAST.

REDLANDS, Oct. 30.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] Baldo Moya was arrested today, charged with assault and battery, and placed in jail here. The warrant for his arrest was issued last April, but he managed to elude the authorities up to this time. His offense was that of beating Ota Mendoza until his face was beyond recognition. Mendoza has recovered, and since the warrant was issued, has served a jail sentence for assaulting another man with a stone.

REDLANDS BREVITIES.

John McLean and Jay Blount have just returned from Cape Nome, where they have been prospecting since 1899.

The present quarters of the Sunset Telephone Company are too small to accommodate the increased business here. The manager is today looking for larger building, but so far has not succeeded in finding one available.

H. P. D. Kingsbury's large plant for the manufacture of orange marmalade and other products of California fruits, is now completed. Operations will begin as soon as the orange crop is ready for picking.

The handsome residence of G. A. Cook, on Colton avenue, was sold yesterday to C. C. Taylor of Massachusetts, for $10,000.

The following guests from Los Angeles are registered at the Windsor today: J. W. Barnes, T. M. Erwin, Lee Crombie, Henry Lauh, W. E. Howard, N. T. Maurice, J. H. Badgley, George W. Jordan.

Orange County Towns—Santa Ana and Fullerton.

SANTA ANA.

DILGES FOUND GUILTY.

SANTA ANA, Oct. 30.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] The jury in the case of Harry Dilges, charged with assault with a deadly weapon with intent to commit murder, brought in a verdict of guilty as charged, after three hours' deliberation, and he will probably get a stiff sentence in the State prison. Dilges attempted to shoot Officer J. W. Murray and Officer W. E. Baker several weeks ago, while the officers were attempting to arrest him, emptying his gun twice at them. The officers returned his fire, two of the shots taking effect in his leg.

SANTA ANA BREVITIES.

The United Confederate Veterans gave an entertainment in Spurgeon's Hall Tuesday evening, which was largely attended. The programme consisted of vocal and instrumental music, plantation singing and character songs. About 9 o'clock the hall was cleared for dancing, which continued until almost midnight.

Mrs. George Huntington is entertaining her father, L. S. Hazen, of Pasadena.

W. W. England and daughter, Helen, left today for Commerce, Tex., to visit friends, after which they will make an extended visit in Georgia and Kentucky.

An entertainment was given Monday evening by Santa Ana Lodge, No. 82, A.O.U.W., the event being the thirty-third anniversary of the founding of the order.

Mrs. B. F. Morehouse and daughter, Vivian, have gone to Whittier to visit Mrs. Morehouse's parents, Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Bateman, for a few weeks.

Rev. E. R. Watson, formerly pastor of the Unity Church, came up yesterday from San Diego to spend a few days with friends.

The Fay Fruit Company shipped the first carload of celery for the season from the peatlands Monday. Several half-carload shipments had been made previous to this date to Los Angeles.

A series of protracted meetings is now being held at the Methodist-Episcopal Church in Westminster, by the Rev. A. J. Deury.

Edward Murphy and Frank Murphy were arrested yesterday on complaint of M. Nisson of North Main street, for disturbing the peace. Today the young men were sentenced, the former to twenty-one and the latter to fourteen days in jail.

C. M. McClintock has forcibly demonstrated what good soil and climate will do properly handled. On his ranch near this city he showed last December 1800 pounds of alfalfa seed, mixed with barley. The following May he cut the barley, and yesterday he finished cutting the fifth crop of alfalfa, a portion of which made two tons per acre. All this was accomplished without irrigation.

The officers have had complaints since noon yesterday of the theft of five bicycles in this city.

FULLERTON.

MORE SCHOOL ROOM NEEDED.

FULLERTON, Oct. 30.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] The Fullerton Union High School is so crowded now that it is believed the building will have to be enlarged, notwithstanding that the old Board of Trustees believed when the building was erected eighteen months ago that it would not have to be enlarged within ten years. This is due to the rapid growth of the town. Many of the residents of the district favor doubling the size of the present new brick structure, which cost about $7000.

FULLERTON BREVITIES.

Mr. Train, a Los Angeles architect, was here today finishing plans and specifications of two new buildings which are to be erected immediately.

S. Edwards swore to a complaint here tonight charging a Mexican with assault with intent to kill him.

P. A. Schumacher will begin the erection of a brick business block here soon. It will be opposite the Masonic Temple, and have a frontage of 50x80 feet in depth.

SANTA BARBARA.

ANNUAL FLOWER SHOW.

SANTA BARBARA, Oct. 30.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] The annual flower show was opened today in the Montecito Hall. A very fine exhibit is arranged there. The Montecito Horticultural Society is in charge of the affair, the Managing Committee being Messrs. Compton, Horner, Smith, Brant and Davis. While there are innumerable varieties of flowers, the chrysanthemums attracted the most attention. On Thursday evening there will be a band concert in the hall.

SANTA BARBARA BREVITIES.

As a result of the work done by the Chamber of Commerce of this city, the local Wells-Fargo office has received instructions to extend the delivery limits to Pedregosa street, which is three blocks farther up town than the old line. The service will commence at once.

A lecture on Mormonism was given yesterday afternoon at the Presbyterian Church by Dr. Elliott of Salt Lake City.

W. H. Neimeyer and son, who are to have the management of the Santa Barbara Transfer Company on the 1st of November have arrived in the city. Mr. Neimeyer's wife and daughter will arrive in a short time from Wheatland.

SANTA PAULA.

CONSTABLE BESIEGED.

SANTA PAULA, Oct. 30.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] There was a riot of small proportions last night at Fillmore, a small town eleven miles east of this place, which almost resulted in a tragedy. A saloonkeeper absorbed so much of his own goods as to become wildly drunk. The Constable of the town tried to quiet him, but his efforts only angered the man. He gathered a crowd of his friends, filled them with liquor and started to run the officer out of town. The latter intrenched himself in his home, and when the crowd approached he appeared at the door armed with two six-shooters. Several shots were fired at him or in his direction, and he retreated into the house, locked the doors and put out the lights so as not to invite shots through the windows. The attacking party fired a number of shots, but no one was injured. Thus far there have been no arrests.

EXECUTION OF CZOLGOSZ.

American People Congratulated by the London Press on the Steady and Consistent Course of Justice.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—Some of this morning's papers refer editorially to the execution of Czolgosz, says the Tribune's London correspondent. They congratulate the American people on the steady and consistent course that justice has taken in the assassin's case and on the utter absence of sensationalism which has marked its close.

The Morning Post considers that the assassin himself provided the true explanation of his crime when he expressed a desire to make a statement where there were lots of people. A morbid desire for notoriety is half the secret of anarchism, says that paper.

DANCE OF ANARCHISTS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, Oct. 30.—The anarchist clubs of London celebrated the electrocution of Czolgosz by dances in honor of his "noble death." Various groups met at their respective headquarters at a late hour last night, and most of the gatherings only dispersed at 4 o'clock this morning, after singing the "Carmagnole." All the meetings lustily cheered every mention of Czolgosz, whose portrait, draped with black and red, occupied the place of honor on the platform.

There were remarkable scenes on the dispersal of the clubs, groups of anarchists shouting "Vive la republique," singing the "Carmagnole," dancing and shouting "Czolgosz, the brave." The police dispersed some of the groups.

The increasing activity of the anarchists is causing some concern to Scotland Yard authorities.

DEFENBACH INSURANCE.

CHICAGO, Oct. 30.—Frank H. Smiley, who turned State's evidence in the Defenbach insurance case, was given his liberty today. He relinquished all right to the $5000 insurance on Marie Defenbach's life. This ends the criminal proceedings in the case, as Dr. August M. Unger is in the penitentiary, and Wayland Brown was previously let off with a fine. The insurance money is still in the hands of the court, and will probably go to the unfortunate girl's relatives.

BELIEVES IN NATIONAL IRRIGATION.

NOTABLE EPISCOPAL CLERGYMAN HAS OPTIMISTIC VIEWS.

Rev. Dr. Wilkinson of Minneapolis Indorses the Attitude of The Times on the Question of Conservation and Development of Public Lands.

Among the many distinguished Episcopal clergymen temporarily sojourning in Los Angeles since the adjournment of the triennial convention in San Francisco, there is none perhaps more observant nor more enthusiastic over the possibilities of the West than Rev. Dr. William Wilkinson of Minneapolis. Dr. Wilkinson has the energy of a steam engine, and besides attending to his duties as a delgate to the late convention, he has been busy with pen and voice since he arrived in California, in the effort to advance the material as well as spiritual interests of the great country in which he is proud to hold citizenship.

Dr. Wilkinson, although not a land owner himself, is deeply interested in the conservation and development of the public domain. He has devoted considerable thought to the subject of national irrigation, and holds that it is a problem of vital importance to the West. When seen last evening by a Times reporter at the Broadway Hotel Dr. Wilkinson said:

"I read this morning an editorial in your paper on irrigation and the land question. Will you please let me say to you, and to the readers of The Times, that in my judgment, that article is a public service whose value cannot be overvalued. We, from Minnesota to California, have vital interest in the things The Times advocates so clearly and so well.

"This republic does not exist for the gain and enrichment of land grabbers and speculators, who, having cash or credit, or both, take every opportunity of making personal private gain out of each and every plant put forth to bless the working people, and thrugh them, the whole republic. The liberal land laws were made to give to those who could and who would live upon land they cultivated, and so give a chance to every industrious family to live on its own land—its own farm.

"No republic in history has made such beneficent laws as our—laws so blessing and so blessed, if carried out in their entirety as they are intended to be.

"In Minnesota, Dakota, Montana, Utah, Nevada, California and other western States, there is room for ten millions of people more than are now living in the West, all of whom could do well, many of whom would become rich. With actual settlers upon land proposed to be irrigated, the national wealth would advance by leaps and by bounds. The plan is not one of the wild fancies which emanate only from the minds of idle dreamers; it is a demonstrated possibility, and I have no doubt it would be a paying investment of the very best kind.

"This republic is not in the advance guard of all the governments on the earth; it has a past which has no equal, a present which attracts not only the notice, but the profound study, of all the statesmen in every great European nation, and it has opportunities such as no other people can offer. But, it is true now, as it was in the days of old, that a wise man's eyes are in his head that he may look right onward.

"Land is not elastic; it is created by no man; it is a fixed and measurable quantity, and though we have so much of it, there is an end to our possessions. We owe it to ourselves as patriots of the soil to see to it that every available foot be saved for those who will improve it. What could we not accomplish? We could replant forest areas where the woodman's ax has cut them down, and so insure lumber for generations yet unborn. We could revise our land laws so that in 100 years from now every yard of tillable soil would be owned by a farming class, as industrious and as prosperous as those of any canton in Switzerland, or those of any part of Normandy. We could so arrange matters that the ever-growing congestion of working people in great cities would be relieved, and in the doing of all this we should be conforming to the mighty trends of thought and of action among all progressive peoples. We should be making wisest provision for those demands which are daily arising and which must daily increase every year. For instance, we import from two to four million boxes of lemons yearly, every one of which we could easily grow in the land proposed to be irrigated. And so with other commodities.

"Our national policy in the Far East will every year of the next fifty, and perhaps for an indefinite time, raise the standard of living there, and so increase demands for things now sent there and make new demands for other supplies, which we could take advantage of, alike for our own good and for the good of the people so served. The man who does not see this is stone blind to what is every day taking place. The man who does not see it and who by word and deed provides for it, is doing his fellow-man a service an angel might be thankful to do. There have been men looking at things in this light for the last fifteen years. J. J. Hill has been talking to Minnesota farmers on these lines, to my certain knowledge, for ten years.

"If Holland can keep the ocean at bay, and even reclaim some land from it, this republic can treasure and store the rain in the valleys between the mountains and use it upon fertile fields in such ways as to make desolate places fruitful as the garden of the Lord.

"The more than seventy million American people need to learn that peace hath triumphs not less renowned than war, and that he is doing good who makes two blades of grass grow where one grew before. The American people have come from all parts, wherever civilized man is found. How to solidify and make one this conglomerate mass, is a vital question of the hour. No better way has yet been found than that of giving the largest possible number land upon which to make a ranch or a farm upon which they can live, without having to ask any man for work or for pay.

"What we want in all the West is capable leadership—honest in every fiber of its being—and such articles in our newspapers as in The Times of this date, and we shall soon see such results as the average man would not believe if a prophet should write it today."

Dr. Wilkinson is accompanied on his visit here by his wife. The next few days will be spent by them in sightseeing in and around Los Angeles, and about next Monday they will start on their journey eastward.

LETTERS TO THE TIMES.

[The Times freely publishes the views of correspondents, without holding itself responsible for writers' opinions. Be brief, write plainly; state clearly. The space of 250 words, on the average, is sufficient for the expression of an idea.]

Hear! Hear!

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 30.—[To the Editor of The Times:] Please make an appeal to the property owners and real-estate agents to abate the nuisance of covering city lots with "For Sale" signs. If a piece of property is worth owning or handling on commission, it is surely of sufficient value to repay costs of advertising in a reputable newspaper.

Many persons seeking sites for homes are driven away from choice locations by a multiplicity of these obnoxious boards, bearing the names, often, of more than a half dozen real-estate agents. These signs mar the topography of an otherwise attractive city, and imply desperate straits of holders. Owners, help sales by forbiding ill-omend signs.

WASHINGTON BALL.

[This is straight and right.—Ed.]

MUSIC AND MUSICIANS.

"Mikado" on a Raft.

As soon as they can get a balloon big enough, some one will surely give a performance of "Mikado" in mid air. It has been done now in every other conceivable way. Last night it was anchored on a raft in the lake at the Chutes.

The piece is billed to continue through the week, and if it goes on, the management will have to give out arctic overshoes and chilblain cure at the box office, and also resusitate the audience at the end of the piece.

It is a pretty warm show just the same. The company had to be brisk and animated or freeze stiff, so they were brisk.

The performance was neither so awfully good nor so awfully bad, but the stage itself would have saved a very bad performance.

It is safe to say that "Mikado" has seldom been produced with prettier settings. Being outdoors it is possible to bring in many effects that would be out of the question on an indoor stage.

The entire stage is under the roof of a quaint, thatched tea house, dancing with lanterns under the bamboo. It is charming—so Japanese and queer.

The setting is the work of Jim Lang, a veteran stage carpenter, who lives here.

The "Pinafore" stage, a week or so ago, was a neat bit of work, but "Mikado" is prettier by far.

The cast, which includes many well-known amateurs, was as follows: The Mikado of Japan, W. A. MacNicoll; Nanki Poo, his son, disguised as a wandering musician, and in love with Yum Yum, Arthur Boyce; Koko, Lord High Executioner of Titipu, Phin Nieres; Poo Bah, Lord High Everything Else, A. S. Rhorer; Pish Tush, a nobleman, C. B. Peterson; Yum Yum, Pitti Sing, Peep Bo, Mrs. Catherine Collette, Pearl La Verne and Miss H. L. Aiken, three sisters, wards of Koko; Katisha, Gertrude Caldwell; Ne Ban, umbrella bearer, F. M. Norwood.

"Lohengrin" Lecture.

An explanatory piano recital by Walter Damrosch on Wagner's "Lohengrin" will be given at the Los Angeles Theater on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

In view of the forthcoming production of "Lohengrin" by the Grau Opera Company under Damrosch's direction, this explanatory lecture will have especial interest. Wherever it has been given it has been widely appreciated. The sale of reserved seats is now on at the box office of the Los Angeles Theater.

"The Woman Did It."

Since the time of Adam men have been laying the blame for all the ills in the world to women. Do they fail in business—the women of the family did it. Do they become inebriates—they were driven to drink by the frivolity of their wives and daughters. Do they wear shabby clothes and become careless about the cut of their hair—the extravagance of those we are dependent on them has divorced them from their pride and left them nothing but rags to wear.

Even those of the sterner sex who admit that their forefather of the Garden of Eden was hardly gallant and was a bit of a coward are prone themselves to put the blame where it doesn't belong sometimes. There was a man in a car yesterday who was apparently of this class. He wore the conventional afternoon dress of frock coat, striped trousers and tall hat, and every time he leaned toward his companion the pile of his immaculate headgear came in contact with the prow-like brim of her hat and was rubbed the wrong way.

After the man had repaired the damage twice his patience gave out.

"You'll never get me to wear a silk hat again when you are wearing that thing on your head, so you needn't ask me to," he exploded—his tone was the irritated one of a relative.

"I didn't ask you to wear it this time, did I?" asked the woman.

"That doesn't make any difference, you'll never get me to do it again; I'm not going to spoil an $8 hat for your pleasure," growled the man, and disregarding the surprised look of his companion he sunk into a gloomy silence.

Directly a fuse blew out of the car wheel and the vehicle came to a halt. The man roused himself from his abstraction. "Don't you ever ask me to ride out in the suburbs with you again," he said with much concentrated energy; "here we are two miles from home and I'll be late at the meeting of my society. I was to read a paper, too."

"Goodness gracious!" replied the woman, using a favorite feminine ejaculation in her impatience, "I did not ask you to come; you asked me. You said 'Let's go somewhere where we can be peaceful and quiet, and happy, and I came. Don't you ask me to come any more with you, for I won't do it. If the skies fell I believe you'd blame me for it."

The man opened his lips to reply, but his case must have seemed weak even to himself, for he shut them again, and a silence profound and not broken fell over the car.—[Baltimore News.

WHEN SIRUP'S ON THE FLAPJACK.

When the sirup's on the flapjack and the couse's in the pot;
When the fly is in the butter—where he'd rather be than not;
When the cloth is on the table and the plates are on the cloth;
When the salt is in the shaker and the chicken's in the broth;
When the cream is in the pitcher and the pitcher's on the tray,
And the tray is on the sideboard when it isn't on the way;
When the rind is on the bacon and likewise upon the cheese,
Then I sometimes feel inspired to do a lot of rhymes like these.

—[Chicago Tribune.

He Liked It.

Wife: How do you like my new hat?

Husband: The idea of paying big prices for——

Wife: Big prices! Why, I made it myself.

Husband: Um—yes—er—as I was saying, the idea of paying big prices for such monstrosities as the milliners are showing! Now, your hat is a work of art. Looks as if it came from Paris. Beautiful, my dear!—New York Weekly.

Tommy: Pa, may I ask one more question?

Pa: Just one.

Tommy: Well, pa, why is a bad actor called a ham?

Pa: Probably because he's so often served with eggs.—[Philadelphia Press.

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with the close confinement at my desk brought on nervous prostration, so much so that for a year I doctored continually. I tried different remedies which only succeeded in poisoning my system, and my stomach refused food. A neighbor who had suffered with ovarian troubles and was perfectly cured, called my attention to your Vegetable Compound, and I made up my mind to give it a two months' fair trial. However, before one month had passed I was like a new woman, and after six weeks faithful use of the Compound I was in perfect health. It certainly is of great benefit to women, and I wish every poor suffering woman could have a chance to try it. Yours very truly, Miss W. CHILDS-BLACKBURN, 2922 Fifth Ave., Rock Island Ill." —$5000 forfeit if above testimonial is not genuine.

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PLAIN TALK

To Catarrh Sufferers

Every person suffering from catarrh in its many forms, knows that the common lotions, salves and douches, do not cure. It is needless to argue this point or to cite cases of failure, because every victim of catarrhal trouble knows it for himself if he has tried them.

A local application, if it does any good at all, simply gives temporary relief. A wash, lotion, salve or powder cannot reach the seat of the disease, which is in the blood.

The mucous membrane seats itself in the blood of catarrhal poison by secreting large quantities of mucous, the discharge sometimes closing up the nostrils, extending to the throat and larynx, causing an irritating cough, continual clearing of the throat, deafness, indigestion and many other disagreeable and perplexing symptoms.

A remedy to really cure catarrh must be an internal treatment; a remedy which will gradually cleanse the system from the catarrhal poison and remove the cause of the congestion always present in the mucous membrane.

The best remedies for this purpose are Eucaliptol, Sanguinaria and Hydrastis. But the difficulty has always been to get these valuable curatives combined in a pleasant table, convenient and efficient form.

Recently this has been accomplished, and the preparation put on the market under the name of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets. They are large pleasant tasting lozenges, which you they may be slowly dissolved in the mouth, thus reaching every part of the mucous membrane and finally passing into the stomach and intestines.

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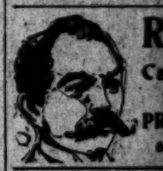

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Necessity of Municipal Water Supply a Possibility and Then Suburbs Will Be Annexed—Why Pat Roach Thinks He Was Unfairly Treated.

PASADENA, Office of The Times, 38 South Raymond avenue, Oct. 30.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] The public-spirited citizens having in hand the annexation of North Pasadena have decided to refrain further agitation of the subject for the present. This step has been taken in view of the fact that the larger city is presently to be made a move fit municipality to annex it. For a long time the Mayor and Council have been planning innovations of an expensive nature. Numerous meetings have been held, and progress has been quietly made in a site for public parks, new City Hall and jail and other things. Options have been secured on land for these purposes. The work has been carried on quietly because a public demonstration might be productive of obstacles. While options on land are being secured, property owners, it is feared, might place high values on their lots if they thought that they were in demand.

It is quite probable that the Mayor and Council will, before very long, announce what progress they have made, and the next step will be the voting of bonds to carry out the improvement plan. It is acknowledged that the scheme is getting ripe. And another scheme which is by no means dead is also shaping pretty soundly, it is said, and that is one about municipal ownership of water. Today Councilmen visited the wells on the corner of Franklin avenue and California street, on invitation of the owners, who think that the water supply is over 100 inches of water now owned by the East Side Water Company. Mayor Wright said today that the city now pays about $4000 a year for water for sprinkling purposes, a great portion of which might be saved if the city owned its supply.

WHICH WAS THE FULLER?

Pat Roach, who lives on South Raymond avenue near the operahouse, was found guilty of drunkenness today and will be sentenced on Friday. Despite the fact that the verdict was rendered by a jury, and only after the case had been tried all afternoon, at considerable municipal expense, it may be that an innocent man may suffer. Absolutely the only evidence that the defendant was intoxicated is that he secured a large jug of wine on Saturday, drank it, and entered into an altercation with a public fountain. That's all.

Pat Roach believes that 'twas the fountain was "full," not he. In fact, the fountain, which everybody knows is a drinking fountain, was as full that day as it running over at the spout. But only that, but when he made friendly advances toward it, it wobbled and slid away from him. He saw it plainly, swaying about and falling over itself, after the manner of a drunken fountain. Another thing that looked bad for the fountain, and tends to substantiate Pat's accusations, is that it deposents the curb at the side entrance of a drug store.

These things led Roach to demand a jury trial, which was accorded him, though the policeman who made the arrest is positive that the man was sober than the fountain. J. G. Rossiter was engaged to defend, but instead of shouldering the blame on the fountain, he made the mistake of attacking the city ordinance technically, and lost the case.

PASADENA BREVITIES.

The funeral of Charles Copelin at the St. Nicholas Hotel on Union street this afternoon was largely attended by his comrades of the G.A.R. Rev. Alfred Iaveed, pastor of the Lincoln-avenue M. E. Church, and Rev. Will Knighten of Los Angeles officiated. There were many floral offerings. The pallbearers were Benjamin Jarvis, Dr. C. Chase, F. D. Stevens, G. F. Downing, A. E. Nash and W. D. Stevens. Honorary pallbearers were four Civil War veterans, John McDonald, George R. Copelin, Wesley L. Hawley and D. C. Lane, who had served with the deceased in the One hundred and Tenth Pennsylvania Infantry. Interment was in Mountain View Cemetery.

The Chief of Police announced today that no Halloween foolishness will be tolerated tomorrow night. A special watch will be maintained upon the premises under seventeen years of age. If any are caught after 8:30 o'clock p.m. on the streets they will not only be taken up, but they will be given the full benefit of the curfew ordinance, which provides a stiff fine or imprisonment, or both.

Each member of the Shakespeare Club is entitled to invite three members to the Halloween reception tomorrow evening, in Stickney Memorial Hall. It was announced by the Committee on Arrangements that one member was the limit, but the bylaws say there was the restriction has been abolished.

J. L. Meade, formerly State Highway Engineer, is lying at the hospital in a critical condition, suffering with hemorrhages of the stomach. He has been a resident of the hospital for several days, but his condition took a turn for the worse today.

Miss J. H. Merriam and Mrs. Ida Gordon were married today at the home of Rev. C. H. Hobart. They will spend a week's visit in Santa Barbara, after which they will occupy their handsome new home on North Madison avenue.

The Women's League of the United Presbyterian Church gave the annual Thanksgiving festival at the church last night. There were chrysanthemums of all colors, and a programme. The theme was a farce, "A Living Magazine."

J. A. Perry of South Menter avenue narrowly escaped serious injury last night by being thrown from his buggy, which was run into by an electric car. He is quite deaf, and did not hear the car coming. The Y.M.C.A. boxed up fourteen large boxes of papers, books and magazines today, to be sent to the Philippines.

Benjamin Y. Atwood of North Orange avenue is dead. He was a native of Massachusetts, aged 65 years. The tournament of Roses Committee met today in short order, as a quorum for their subscription list.

Mrs. M. Coffin returned today from business interests near the Colorado River.

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DOWNEY.

NOT BAD FOR WALNUTS.

DOWNEY, Oct. 30.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] Late reports of the effects of the recent rain indicate that the injury to walnuts was much less than was estimated. When the storm came most of the nuts grown near here were in the association packing-house at Rivera. As soon as possible after the rain the nuts still in the groves were gathered and treated so that the accumulations of mud were removed. The rain was in one way at least a benefit. There were many nuts still hanging on the trees which were easily shaken off after the storm.

MUCH BUTTER FAT.

The Downey creamery is receiving about twelve thousand pounds of milk per day, which is rather above the average for this season of the year. The milk has an average closely approaching 5 per cent. butter fat, which is nearly ½ per cent. higher than a few weeks ago. The dairy cattle are receiving liberal rations of pumpkins and some of them are being fed sugar-beet pulp. The increase in the richness of the milk is attributed to the improved quality of the bovine rations.

MANY TONS OF GRAPES.

The grape season has nearly closed. The Downey winery has received a quantity of grapes this season estimated at between 900 and 1000 tons. The grapes came from the vineyards about here and those near Norwalk and Artesia. The principal varieties delivered have been zinfandel, sharrvino, berger and blue elk. Some of last year's product of the winery was shipped to Manila.

SCHOOL HALL WANTED.

Efforts for the building of an assembly hall for school and other purposes are being put forth with good prospects of success. There is county school money available amounting to nearly $2000. The town has no suitable hall for graduating exercises and other school functions and that point is being urged in favor of the proposed building. Such a building could be rented for other kinds of public gatherings, there being no suitable hall for such purposes in town. It is desired to have a building capable of seating nearly 600 people.

VALUABLE FLUMES.

The cement flumes constructed by the Arroyo Ditch Company have been of great service to the irrigators this season. Within the past eighteen months the company has built nearly eight miles of cement flumes at a cost of about $30,000. The improvement has about doubled the available supply of water by preventing waste. The quantity of water actually running in the flumes this year has not been so great as in some other recent seasons, but by reason of the prevention of waste the irrigators have had all they needed. The irrigators are all stockholders and the last of stockholders is confined to the owners of lands in a tract embracing about four thousand acres.

DOWNEY BREVITIES.

The recent rain amounted to about 1.5 inches here.

Among recent improvements here are the brick block constructed by E. Darrow at a cost of about $6000, and the one built by Reed & McKellar at a cost of about $2000. Mrs. Frankel is about to build a brick block to cost probably $4000.

Revival meetings are being held at the Presbyterian Church.

Rev. Mr. Fraser, late of Kentucky, is the new paster of the Methodist Church, South.

The misdemeanor cases which have demanded the official attention of Constable H. C. Roemer this year number only thirteen, and they were scattered about the township, which embraces Norwalk, Artesia and Clearwater, and covers an area of about forty square miles. He has had only one felony case this year.

SANTA MONICA.

STOLEN GOODS RECOVERED.

SANTA MONICA, Oct. 30.—[From The Times' Correspondent.] Robert Turner, a boy, was arrested on Tuesday for the theft of a box of tools in Ocean Park. Before Justice Guidinger he pleaded guilty to a charge of petty larceny. He will undoubtedly be sent to the Whittier State School, as there is a prior conviction against him on a petty larceny charge. The tools were stolen from an electric railway car not long ago. Serafarrata of Ocean Park, who is now in jail, confessed complicity in the theft and said that the tools were taken by young Turner. Arrata said he hid the tools under the house where he had lived in Ocean Park, and the City Marshal and a Constable found them there.

MONROVIA.

HURT IN A RUNAWAY.

MONROVIA, Oct. 30.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] While Mrs. W. B. March, with her little son was driving on Myrtle avenue last evening, the horse took fright and ran away. At the Blinn Lumber Company yard it ran into a pile of brick, breaking the carriage. The occupants of the rig were thrown out. Mrs. March received a severely-sprained ankle, but the child was uninjured.

MONROVIA BREVITIES.

At the Methodist Church this evening William P. Davis and Mrs. Winfield S. Meyers were married by Rev. F. D. Mather.

A party of twelve young men from Duarte are camping at Lake Elsinore, where ducks are said to be plentiful.

Among the recent real-estate sales is the purchase of seventeen acres by R. H. Wilson from Mrs. E. A. Norman. Mr. Wilson has purchased the land for the enlargement of his nursery.

The city has purchased a street grader and work will soon begin on a number of streets that are greatly in need of repair.

The city reservoirs are all full of water except one, which is being cleaned, and put in readiness for winter use.

POMONA.

STORM-WATER DIFFICULTIES.

POMONA, Oct. 30.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] A meeting of the Street Improvement Committee of the Board of Trade was held at the office of John Law last night. The matter of providing some safeguard against the storm water which comes down from North Pomona to this city and which the City Trustees are considering was discussed at some length. The matter of the removal of the large reservoir, owned by the Pomona Land and Water Company, which is in the middle of Holt avenue, just east of San Antonio avenue, was brought up. This reservoir has been in its present location ever since the city was built, and now that Holt avenue is becoming the principal residence street, the reservoir is considered undesirable. It is the only obstruction in a straight six-mile thoroughfare to Ontario. A committee consisting of Messrs. Nichols, Storrs and Robinson was appointed to prepare some plan whereby its removal can be brought about.

POMONA BREVITIES.

News was received here of the sudden death this morning in Los Angeles of Miss Maude Tufford, sister of Mrs. Charles Loop of this city. Miss Tufford had a number of friends here, where she resided for several years.

The attendance at the public schools is larger than ever, and the present accommodations are entirely inadequate. There are now about 200 pupils in the High School alone, against about 150 at this time last year.

George Beal, who was injured while working with a section crew, has returned to Pomona. He has been at a hospital in Los Angeles, where it was necessary to have his leg amputated.

Herndon Ely is here from Carrollton, Mo., looking after some ranch property. He is accompanied by his nephew, Vivian Ely of St. Louis.

A football game will be played at Recreation Park Saturday between the Pomona and Redlands High School elevens.

For sale—Seling out fifty head of large young mules and thirty head draft horses; also harness, chain and stretchers. Geo. W. Griffiths, between Covina and Puente.

ALHAMBRA.

WILL LAY DOUBLE TRACK.

ALHAMBRA, Oct. 30.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] It was expected that the Alhambra and San Gabriel extension of the Pasadena and Los Angeles electric railway would be made a single-track road, but the news reached here yesterday that Mr. Huntington had decided to make it a double-track line. The grading through the winery ranch was first made for a single track, and has since been widened. The grade work is completed to the county road. It is expected that the county franchise matter will be settled in about a week, when the company will proceed with the grade work through Alhambra.

PRICE CASE CONTINUED.

The preliminary trial of Walter Price, who shot Walter Boydston Sunday afternoon, was to have been held this morning before Justice Northrup, but because of the inability of the wounded man to be present the case was postponed to be set for trial at such a time as Boydston is able to appear in court. Since the shooting Price had been in the custody of Constable Stanton, but yesterday the report was received here that Boydston's injuries were very serious and might prove fatal. Constable Stanton decided to take no chances in the matter and at once conveyed Price to the County Jail. Today it was learned that Boydston is rapidly recovering, but he may not be able to leave the County Hospital for ten days or two weeks.

ALHAMBRA BREVITIES.

Mr. Gibbs of Riverside has purchased a ten-acre orange orchard of Geo. A. Keep for $10,000. He will erect a $3000 residence thereon and make Alhambra his home.

Gall B. Johnson of the German-American Bank, Los Angeles, has returned from an eastern business trip, during which he visited his daughter, Miss Phila B. Johnson, who is attending Smith College at Northampton, Mass.

Several members of Alhambra Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, by request, assisted at the funeral of Mrs. Davis at El Monte this afternoon.

Another public meeting for the purpose of perfecting the organization of the Alhambra Improvement Association will be held at the Baptist Church Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

CLAREMONT.

COLLEGE TOWN NOTES.

CLAREMONT, Oct. 30.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] The meeting of the Current Events Club Tuesday evening was of more than usual interest. Prof H. D. Bessell discussed "Strikes;" Rev. Mr. Jones, "Recent Religious Conventions;" citing the meeting of the American Board at Hartford, the National Congregational convention at Portland, Me., and the biennial Episcopal convention at San Francisco. Dr. F. W. Thomas spoke on "Anarchy," and a free discussion followed.

The Del Monte Irrigation Company is building a neat six-room cottage near the pumping station for the accommodation of the family of the engineer.

Miss Anna Doyle will retain her former position of book-keeper for the Claremont Citrus Union for the coming season.

The Pomona High School football team met the 'varsity team Tuesday on the college gridiron. The game resulted in a score of 18 to 0 in favor of the college team.

A team from Azusa will come over next Monday to play the college football team.

LONG BEACH.

PASSENGER AGENTS COMING.

LONG BEACH, Oct. 30.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] The Board of Trade, at its meeting last night, took the preliminary steps looking to the proper entertainment of the Traveling Passenger Agents' Association, when it visits Long Beach November 15. If the present plan is carried out, it will bring the special train bearing these gentlemen here about 7 a.m. in the morning. They will be met at the train and conducted to the hotels, where a special breakfast will be served. An informal reception by the ladies will follow, and the gentlemen will be shown the floral beauties which adorn Long Beach in such profusion during the winter. Carriages will also be in waiting for such as wish to see more of the place and its attractions. Misses P. E. Hatch, M. A. Schutz, B. Brown, G. Butterfield and F. W. Stevens were selected to take charge of this entertainment.

The Los Angeles sanitarium people have been figuring for some time on securing the summit of Signal Hill as a site for their new buildings, but a letter was read at last night's meeting withdrawing all offers they had made regarding it.

LONG BEACH BREVITIES.

A reception was given last night by the Knights and Ladies of the Maccabees, in honor of Dr. O. C. Welbourn. The doctor recently returned from a two years' trip around the world, and his old friends took advantage of this occasion to give him a cordial welcome home, and hear something of his experiences.

The High School baseball club is now thoroughly reorganized, and will play the opening game of the new season on the local grounds next Saturday afternoon, the Fullerton team being the competitors.

A large force of men is busily engaged in bringing the track of the Salt Lake route along the ocean front to grade and filling it in with gravel ballast.

Miss Florence Hartley of Caldwell, Idaho, who has been visiting Long Beach friends, left for her home this morning.

Mrs. Emma S. Lee of Pasadena is the guest of G. L. Chandler and family, and will remain several days.

COVINA.

BRIEF NEWS NOTES.

COVINA, Oct. 30.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] The funeral of Caleb Telling, whose death occurred Monday, due to paralysis, took place today. He was a comparative stranger, having come from Byron, Mich., with his family, about ten days ago to make California his home. He leaves a widow and two grown sons, George and Roy. He was a native of England, and at the time of his death was 60 years of age.

Dr. J. D. Reed has been appointed Health Officer for the city.

The board of trustees of the Covina public library has accepted the offer of H. M. Houser to erect for it a suitable building on West College street, immediately opposite the First National Bank.

J. H. Matthews has purchased from J. D. Reed fifty-five feet frontage on Citrus avenue.

Two petty larceny cases, filed against Serrano, a Mexican of Puente, for stealing hay, have been transferred, one to Azusa and the other to Pomona, on motion of the defendant for a change of venue.

REDONDO.

BREVITIES AND PERSONALS.

REDONDO, Oct. 30.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] The Santa Rosa left this morning for the North with seven tons of beer for Manila, ten tons of salt, a carload of walnuts and a carload of asphaltum.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Clutter of Missouri arrived here this morning, and will spend the winter with their son, O. T. Clutter.

Mrs. A. Moore, who has resided at Redondo for the past year, left Tuesday for Los Angeles, where she will take up her residence for the winter.

Mrs. Isador Metzler of Lafayette, Ind., arrived here today, and will be the guest of Mrs. W. J. Hess.

WHITTIER.

BUSINESS MEN ORGANIZE.

WHITTIER, Oct. 30.—[From The Times' Resident Correspondent.] About a score of the leading business men of the city met last evening at the office of Barton & Clayton on Philadelphia street to inaugurate a movement for the organization of a board of trade. Postmaster L. M. Baldwin was elected chairman and W. S. Barton secretary. It was the general opinion of all present that the growth and progress of Whittier could be materially advanced by the perfection of some organization which would assist in presenting the attractions of the foothill city to prospective residents from the East. A committee consisting of J. M. Hiatt, A. C. Maple and M. O. Souden was appointed to visit some one or more of the smaller cities in this vicinity, in which boards of trade have been organized, and instructed to report at an adjourned meeting to be held Friday evening.

ELECTRIC ROAD MATTERS.

F. E. Trask, vice-president and general manager of the Interurban Railway Company, was in the city this afternoon on his way to La Habra to confer with W. J. Hole in regard to rights of way through the valley to the east of this city. Mr. Trask stated that his company had assurances for rights of way for the entire proposed line between Los Angeles and Santa Ana with the exception of a few short stretches between here and Los Angeles, and work on the road was liable to begin at any time. The rail situation, he said, was much improved, and he was in position to secure supplies of this kind as early as January 1.

THE TIMES' DAILY STORY.

KATHRYN'S BURGLAR.

BY FRANK S. CHISWICK.

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KATHRYN never would have done it had her brother Tom been home, because he would have laughed at her. Nor would her stern father of Scotch ancestry tolerate such absurd nonsense as the observance of heathen customs on All Saints' eve. Just the year before he had objected to her attending a Halloween frolic, simply because he did not approve of perpetuating silly superstitions.

But Tom was safe at Harvard, undergoing the first anxieties of an ambitious freshman, and her father had been summoned abroad to look after a big contract. So, motherless, Kathryn was free to walk downstairs backward or perform any other Halloween feat. Just at present she was standing in front of the old-fashioned, gilt-edged mirror in the drawing-room. All around her was midnight stillness.

"I hope the face of my true love comes to me."

She murmured the ancient formula approved by generations of love-lorn damsels, and to complete the charm slowly munched an apple, half-apprehensive and wholly filled with wonder as to whether the apparition conjured up by the invocation would be clean-shaven or moustached. Would it be the features of Frank Handy or Chester Raymond? Both had asked for her hand, and really she did not——

What was that? Yes, it must be a masculine face, with bonnie blue eyes, appearing just above her own curls. A little smothered shriek and she swung round to confront a personable chap with crisp blond hair and a face which, save for a haggard look, would have been more than ordinarily attractive. His eyes had a subtle expression that made her think of Tom, and his dress proclaimed that he had once moved in good society.

Following the first spasm of apprehension she left a sensation of relief that the picture reflected in the glass was that of a very pretty girl, whose chestnut hair formed dainty contrast with a fluffy negligée of pale lavender.

The stranger raised his cap. "Pardon the intrusion," he began. "I had no intention of attracting your attention, but when I opened the door I could not resist the temptation to help out fate, even though the forced prediction might displease you."

Kathryn stared at him. "How did you get in without my hearing you?" she demanded. "I locked all the doors hours ago."

"That is my business," he explained. "No," he went on, as she drew herself up, "I did not mean to indicate that it was none of yours. I merely mean that it is my occupation to get into houses with as little disturbance to the occupants as possible."

A wave of red swept over her face. "So you are just a common burglar?" she demanded, with icy scorn.

He flinched at the disgust she did not seek to conceal, but in a moment his easy assurance reasserted itself. "No, quite an uncommon one, I assure you. In fact, I am merely a tyro, and a pretty bad one at that, I imagine. You see, I was not brought up to a respectable trade, and when I was thrown upon my own resources I had to do the best I could. I sought everywhere for work, but my family friends remembered the time when I led a riotous life, and would not have me, while others seemed to think that I did not mean what I said, when I asked for the simple work I could perform. No man wanted a hire a porter who wore more fashionable clothes than he did, and I couldn't tell him that I had no others."

"Still, that is no excuse for becoming a burglar."

"No," he admitted, "but yesterday it came to a choice between the poorhouse and a rich one, and when I passed your house this afternoon I heard you tell a friend you would be all alone, save for the servant. I did not intend to take much, just enough to get me to Chicago, and I never supposed that you would be trailing about this time of night. Then, you see, when a man has been practically starving for two days there is——"

She flashed a sharp glance at him. "Do you mean to tell me that you have starved to death?" she demanded.

"Not quite that, or I should not be here, but if I remember right, the last meal I had was Tuesday morning. This is Thursday. It might have been Monday; I never was good at ancient history, but I think it was Tuesday."

Kathryn picked up a quaint silver candlestick, "Come right along," she commanded. "You should have gone to the poorhouse, but I suppose you are foolishly proud."

He followed, his eyes resting admiringly upon the little lavender form in front. Here was a girl who was not afraid of burglars, and who carried herself as fearlessly as though she were entertaining a guest.

In the dining-room she laid out a dainty lunch. Then she sat herself down on the other side of the table, nor did she speak till the first keen craving for food had been satisfied.

"You don't look a bit like a burglar," she said, musingly, as she looked at the well-built man opposite. "Somehow you look as though you were cut out for a leader of men."

"If I keep this sort of thing up," he responded with grim humor, "I am apt to wind up leading a chain gang."

She sprang up with a little cry. "You mustn't keep it up. You must get work, and make your people proud of you. You must not go to prison."

"I don't know," he responded, regarding her excitement wonderingly. "It's the only boarding-house I know of where you are not put out if you fail to pay your bill, and, apparently, it's the only place where I can find work."

"You should not say those things," reprovingly.

"I know I should not, but when you have done your best, and the whole world seems to be against you; when you starve till you are made desperate, there come moments of temporary insanity, when all sense of right and wrong is lost. When I came here I fully intended to get enough money to take me out West, where there might be a better chance for me, but when I saw you before the glass in that violet-colored dress, somehow you made me think of my sister—and she's dead. So are the others, thank God."

Kathryn rose abruptly, and went into the library. Would she call for help? The man did not care much. He simply sat watching the doorway through which she had disappeared. He was very tired, and it did not matter much now, anyhow.

She came back with a card in her hand.

"You know where the Hewitson mills are, don't you?" He nodded. "Mr. Hewitson is my father." Again he nodded. "Take this to the manager, I think there's an opening in the shipping department. You will probably have to start at a ridiculous salary, but——"

He caught her hand and pressed it to his lips, as a loyal subject might kiss the hand of a revered sovereign.

"Oh, I will go. Only give me the chance, and I'll show what I can do." He felt something folded under the card. He looked down and his face flushed a deep purple. He laid the bill on the table.

"Oh, but you must take it till you get your first salary. You can't starve."

"No, not that! I can't take it, but, please God, I'll show you that I can lead a decent life, and justify your faith in me." And, waving his cap, he disappeared as he had come, through the dining-room window.

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Three years have passed swiftly for Kathryn, but oddly enough she has tried no more Halloween charms. This evening she stands in the square hall watching the storm which is ushering in November. A sleigh dashes up to the door, and her father comes in shaking himself like a great polar bear.

"I've invited young Douglas up to dinner this evening, Kathryn. I didn't think it necessary to 'phone you. Just have an extra place laid." He pushed through that Rothberger deal in splendid shape, and in consequence, I've given him the promotion he deserved. By the way, Kathryn, where did you meet that chap? He was a lucky find for me."

Kathryn does not answer, but with a conscious blush, looks into the drawing-room, where the softly-shaded lights play on the gilt-edged mirror. The bell rings, but she does not wait to receive the guest in the hall. He finds her in the dim drawing-room before the mirror. She is looking over her shoulder, and she wears a lavender gown.

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Mrs. Jane Toppan, suspected of having murdered Mrs. May Gibbs at Bowerne, Mass., last August, has been arrested at Nassau, N. H., and taken to Massachusetts. Mrs. Gibbs died under suspicious circumstances.

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NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Lodge Dance.

Edelweiss Rebekah Lodge of the Odd Fellows gave a very pleasant entertainment and dance last night in Odd Fellows' Hall. Several hundred people were present.

Certificates Granted.

The quarterly meeting of the State Board of Architecture for the Southern District of California was held Tuesday evening in the office of Morgan & Walls No. 232 North Main street. Certificates were granted to five applicants. A number of other applications were considered, but no final action taken.

Y.M.C.A. Camera Club.

A number of club members and their friends were addressed last evening by Vivian Tremlar, one of The Times' photographers, on "Some of the Phases of Photography." The remarks of the speaker were appreciated and a vote of thanks tendered him. Refreshments were served, and college songs rendered.

La Fiesta de Las Misiones.

Unique in the idea to be carried out by the ladies of the Old Mission Church parish in its coming "La Fiesta de Las Misiones." All the old California missions are to be reproduced, each booth having the name of and representing a mission. Many novel details are being arranged, and it is said nothing like it ever has been seen in Los Angeles.

Quarterly Teachers' Meeting.

A general teachers' meeting will be held in the High School Auditorium Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock. The principal speakers will be William T. Randall, dean of the University of Southern California, and Prof. Benjamin M. Davis of the Normal School. Prof. Davis will address the sections on "Nature Study."

Fell Down the Shaft.

Louis R. Labory of No. 134 South Bunker Hill avenue walked backward into an elevator shaft at the Niles Pease Furniture Company's establishment, and fell fourteen feet to the bottom. He was fortunate in escaping with two sprained ankles. He had gone to the basement for furniture, and supposed he was backing into the elevator with it, but the elevator had been moved.

Music on His Leg.

O. E. Johnson, who drives a furniture van and resides at No. 261½ South Los Angeles street, was treated at the Receiving Hospital yesterday afternoon for a compound fracture of the right leg, just above the ankle. Johnson was engaged in taking a piano down stairs at the Baker Block on North Main street, when the rope holding the instrument broke, and the piano fell on his leg.

Fiesta Dates Set.

At an executive meeting of the Fiesta Committee held yesterday afternoon it was decided to hold next year's festival on May 7, 8 and 9. Beginning with May 1, the city will be decorated and illuminated for ten days and nights. A contract for 5000 fiesta posters was awarded to the Los Angeles Lithographic Company. The posters will be twice as large as those used this year.

Evangelist Mace.

Albert Mace, an evangelist and the son of Jim Mace, the English prize fighter, held a meeting last evening at the Ebell Auditorium, preaching on "Faith," from the text, Acts XXVII, 25, "Wherefore, sirs, be of good cheer, for I believe God, that it shall be even as it was told me." Mr. Mace will speak again this evening, at No. 952 South Broadway, on the "Constitution of Man;" and on Friday at the Ebell Auditorium, on the "Anti-Christ."

Messenger in Trouble.

Clarence Howard, a Los Angeles district messenger boy, was in the Police Court yesterday afternoon to answer to a charge of embezzlement. The manager of the company for which he works swore to a complaint charging Howard with appropriating $1.30 which had been intrusted to him. A lawyer, who appeared for the youth, asked for time, and Howard's hearing is set for this morning. The court fixed his bail at $25 cash, and his bond at $100.

Clock Tower Lights Gleaming.

The Supervisors are experimenting on lights for the clock faces on the Courthouse tower. An apparently good effect was obtained last night with one frosted incandescent lamp, reinforced with a reflector, behind each figure on one of the dials. The estimated cost of lighting all four faces in that manner is slightly over 30 cents per hour. The lighting is in charge of the Courthouse Committee, composed of Supervisors Alexander, Hamly and Longdon.

Small Blaze.

The explosion of a coal oil stove in the Jessamine lodging-house, No. 108½ South Broadway at 7 o'clock last evening, caused considerable excitement and the calling out of a part of the fire department. A small blaze resulted, but it was extinguished before the arrival of the engines, which were on hand in one minute fifty seconds. A spark from a cotton picker in the mattress factory of Wahlin & Leuthie at No. 749 South Main street, started a small fire yesterday morning, which was out before the arrival of the department. The damage is nominal.

Taken Away.

Valentine Semashka, alias Simeon Ivan Grin, the Russian youth who was arrested Monday in Pasadena on a charge of embezzlement committed in Florida, was yesterday taken to San Francisco by Deputy United States Marshal McCulloch. If formal proceedings warrant it, extradition papers will issue, so that he can be taken to his home land, and get whatever is dealt out to embezzlers in the land of the Bear. Lena Duarte, convicted of sending an obscene letter through the mails, was also taken north, to serve her six months' sentence in San Quentin.

Child Study Circle's Annual.

The annual meeting of the Child Study Circle of the Thirtieth-street school was held yesterday afternoon, and was attended by nearly 150. The following officers were elected: Mrs. C. C. Pierce, president; Mrs. A. B. Case, vice-president; Miss Minnie Cronkite, secretary; Miss Alba St. Cyr Bennett, treasurer. Addresses were delivered by Prof. M. C. Bettinger and Mrs. W. W. Murphy, president of the City Federation of Child Study Clubs. After the addresses a reception was tendered by the teachers of the schools to the mothers of their pupils.

Not Sure About Carrie.

Mrs. Robert Butcher, No. 1025 West Twenty-fifth street, sister of Mrs. Carrie Nation, says there is no certainty that the woman who wielded the hatchet is coming to Los Angeles at present. It would be purely a season of rest with relatives if she should come, and her brother, C. H. Moore, a prominent stock dealer of Kansas City, would accompany her. She writes that she has given up the hatchet campaign, and is making big money lecturing in Canada, but taking pain enough to pay her expenses, and giving the rest to benevolent institutions. Recently, she says, she took in $1600 in one evening, and gave it away in a day.

Noted Elk Coming.

The members of Los Angeles Lodge, B.P.O. Elks, are preparing for the entertainment of Past Grand Exalted Ruler Meade D. Detweiler, who is now in San Francisco, and who is expected to arrive here about next Wednesday. A banquet will be tendered him, and he will be given an opportunity to see how much the local lodge has improved since his last visit to this city, nearly three years ago. In that time the membership has been increased from less than 100 to 550.

BREVITIES.

Send donations of cast-off clothing, furniture or food supplies to the Good Samaritan department of the Bethlehem Institutional Church, Vignes and Ducommun street, or telephone John 28, and wagon will call. Office hours during summer months 11 to 12 daily.

Watch for the new millinery store. Bon Marché will open November 14, 345 South Broadway, with the latest style hats and best bargains in the city.

Carbons, platinums, Royal Sepias, "Coules." Palace Studio, 351 S. B'way.

Miss Haskett will find something of interest to her by calling at this office.

Dr. Shaffner, physician, 145 S. Spring.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union telegraph company for Mrs. W. W. Evans, S. Tobey, Frank Thompson, Miss José Smith, E. W. Enos and E. J. Holden.

"A Female Drummer" will open its engagement this evening at the Los Angeles Theater. Charles E. Blaney, the author and manager, believes that there is money in the name of a play, and that is said to account for the title in this case.

The Hewitt-street school Child's Study Circle met yesterday afternoon and reelected the following officers: Mrs. J. M. Vena, president; Mrs. Gerckins, vice-president; Mrs. K. J. Barr, secretary and treasurer. A delegate was elected to represent the circle at the federation, which will meet Wednesday.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday from the office of the County Clerk:

J. Howard Merriam, aged 40, a native of Illinois, and Alice W. Coolidge, aged 42, a native of Canada; both residents of Pasadena.

Norene F. Swenson, aged 40, a native of Iowa and a resident of Catalina, and Mary A. Tiernan, aged 29, a native of Kentucky and a resident of Pasadena.

Henry L. Scherb, aged 23, a native of Alsace Loraine, and Rose Hughes, aged 19, a native of Ireland; both residents of Los Angeles.

Francis E. Alexander, aged 32, a native of Ohio, and Lenora Ray, aged 25, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

Bernardino Rocha, aged 36, a native of California, and Trenidad Keith, aged 20, a native of Mexico; both residents of The Palms.

Joseph J. Phelan, aged 24, a native of California, and Edna Pauline Lee, aged 23, a native of Kentucky; both residents of Whittier.

John Truwe, aged 71, a native of Switzerland, and Elizabeth Cordes, aged 52, a native of Germany; both residents of Los Angeles.

Walter V. Adams, aged 26, a native of Indiana and a resident of Compton, and Minnie A. Wilson, aged 24, a native of California and a resident of Pomona.

Thomas Russell, aged 29, a native of Scotland and a resident of Palo Alto, and Laura E. Freels, aged 24, a native of Missouri and a resident of Los Angeles.

BIRTH RECORD.

CRAIG—In this city, October 29, to the wife of Lyman Allen Craig, a daughter.
WOODWARD—October 30, to the wife of G. H. Woodward, No. 1021 Blaine street, a son.

DEATH RECORD.

JOHNSON—At No. 1156 West Twenty-fifth street, Maud S. Johnson, aged 32 years. Funeral today from Bresee Brothers' parlors, Sixth and Broadway, at 2 p.m. Friends invited.
WARNER—At Pacific Hospital, October 29, 10:45 p.m., Clarence A. Warner, aged 45 years. Funeral from late residence, No. 716 South Hill street, Thursday, October 31, at 2 o'clock p.m. Friends invited. Interment Rosedale.
WARNER—At Pacific Hospital, October 29, 10:45 p.m., Clarence A. Warner, aged 45 years. Funeral notice later.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

Members Modern Woodmen of America please take notice: The funeral of our late esteemed neighbor, C. A. Warner, will take place Thursday at 2 p.m. at the Warner residence, No. 716 South Hill. Fraternally,
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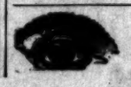
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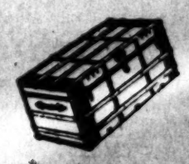
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